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## 92 MEN SELECTED

**THE BOARD SENT IN THAT MANY NAMES TO DISTRICT BOARD.**

## 30 CLAIMS NOT ALLOWED

**73 Claims Were Allowed by the Board —The List of Names Certified and Who Will Compose the Quota.**

The local exemption board announced yesterday the claims which were not allowed, the names of the men who were certified as no claims were filed, and the men who were exempted. This list of names was sent to the district board at Kansas City.

There were thirty claims not allowed by the board and seventy-three claims which were allowed. There were sixty-two men who were certified as filing no claim here.

The claims not allowed by the board were mostly from married men. Several claims are yet to be passed on.

The following are the names of the men:

**Claims Not Allowed.**

Edward Stephenson, Maryville.
Benjamin Franklin Wilson, Hopkins.
John Cecil Wilson, Maryville.
John Marion Worwag, Maryville.
Clarence Harvey Williams, Conception Junction.
Fred Webster, Burlington Junction.
Ernest Ulmer, Maryville.
Walter L. Patterson, Skidmore.
John Lawrence Nicholson, Hopkins.
John James McGarry, Conception Junction.
Ira J. McCollum, Maryville.
Henry R. Lee, Skidmore.
Waldo Turner Lawrence, Clearmont.
Chalmer Harrison Kling, Barnard.
Andrew Conrad Kimmett, Ravenwood.
Edward Samuel Harrison, Burlington Junction.
Edgar Griffith Hull, Maryville.
John Hansen, Barnard.
Walter G. Howard, Skidmore.
Hugh Ellis, Guilford.
Ernest Franklin Dale, Burlington Junction.
Charles Adolphus Cook, Hopkins.
Charles Wesley Cornell, Burlington Junction.
William Simus Crane, Quitman.
John Beal, Burlington Junction.
John Critten Broyles, Hopkins.
Ozero Edgar Bales, Maryville.
George Leonard Andrews, Hopkins.
Robert Clifford Powell, Maryville.
John Henry Dooley, Hopkins.

**Certified—No Claims.**

Joseph Mathew Archer, Conception Junction.
Thomas Hubert Archer, Conception Junction.
William Lorenzo Bagley, Maryville.
Earl M. Brittain, Guilford.
Claud Levera Bartles, Sheridan.
John H. Bannister, Guilford.
Otis Brown, Graham.
Arthur Baysinger, Ravenwood.
Fay Mills Corrough, Arkoe.
Fred Leslie Culver, Burlington Junction.
William Patrick Cummins, Burlington Junction.
Delma Ellsworth Carmichael, Pickering.
Ernest Richard Cox, Maryville.
Francis Michael Dillon, Graham.
Carl Dunn, Graham.
William J. Dempsey, Quitman.
Kenneth Ray Daniels, Maryville.
Alvin Marion Dunn, Barnard.
Franklin Pierce Elliott, Barnard.
Carl Fisher, Maryville.
Robert Clyde Felson, Hopkins.
Harry Floyd Fryar, Ravenwood.
James Russell Fisher, Maryville.
Arlo M. Gingrich, Maryville.
William Bernard Graham, Conception Junction.
Cecil Dellmar Hyde, Pickering.
John Peter Paul Henggeler, Maryville.
William Morgan Herren, Maryville.
Pearl Hewitt, Clearmont.
Samuel Hughes Hayworth, Graham.
Orlen Oliver Kelley, Pickering.
Floyd Andrew Kiser, Barnard.
Henry Chris Klaas, Parnell.
James William Keith, Maryville.
David Nicholas Lehmer, Jr., Maryville.
Claud Vault Linninger, Maryville.
Willie Riley Miller, Parnell.
Charles James Moffat, Clyde.
Alfred Clemence Meyer, Clyde.
Harry McIntire, Hopkins.
Frank Edgar McKee, Bolckow.
Ezra Clarkson McMullin, Ravenwood.
Robert Jacob Nigh, Parnell.
Thomas Ray O'Grady, Maryville.
Lawrence Olds, Graham.
Harry Melvin Piveral, Burlington Junction.
Alpha Lee Powell, Ravenwood.
Basil A. Rodman, Skidmore.
Leo John Roney, Maryville.
Roy John Schulte, Maryville.
Earl I. Swigart, Skidmore.
Louis Alexander Stelter, Clearmont.
David Martin Tucker, Burlington Junction
Jesse Tanner, Burlington Junction.
Charles Wassan Thompson, Barnard.
Clarence Edward Tibbetts, Elmo.
Thomas James Tobin, Maryville.
John Elvin Whitten Hopkins.
Lafe Dawson Watson, Clearmont.
William Roy Walkinshaw, Blanchard.
Roy Frank Wiseman, Burlington Junction.
Albert Henry Zaph, Maitland.

**Exempted.**

Duett F. Clement, Quitman.
Cecil Lerue Proctor, Hopkins.
Joseph C. Henggeler, Clyde.
Lloyd Clesson Forman, Hopkins.
Homer Hainline, Quitman.
Floyd Marion Ambrose, Barnard.
Thomas Albert Pankan, Sheridan.
George T. Houchens, Ravenwood.
Louie Fred Ennen, Elmo.
Edward Joseph Seipel, Maryville.
Bernard Ridder, Clyde.
James Ungles, Graham.
Edward Weaver Patton, Barnard.
Fred Davidson, Conception Junction.
Loren Ray Vogt, Conception Junction.
Clyde Middleton, Hopkins.
Daniel Benjamin Olgey, Hopkins.
James D. Morton, Parnell.
Ollie Raymond Majers, Maryville.
John Harry Yeates, Pickering.
Harold Taylor Hunt, Barnard.
Homer Edward Crain, Barnard.
Thomas Cleveland Hill, Maryville.
Jacob Austin Winemiller, Sheridan.
Forrest Davis, Elmo.
Frederick M. Barrett, Skidmore.
Otho Law Robey, Maryville.
Asa Edward Wagner, Pickering.
Robert Emerson Caudle, Burlington Junction.
Oscar Eugene Klaas, Clyde.
Otto Edgar Weir, Graham.
Frank B. Meyer, Parnell.
James Henry Drydale, Barnard.
Charles Walter Dougan, Barnard.
Harry Raymond Cowen, Sheridan.
Van Daren Stites, Parnell.
Bert Swearingen, Bedison.
Otis H. Anderson, Guilford.
Arch Davis Martin, Hopkins.
Lester Earl Lyle, Maryville.
Preston Valentine Hart, Conception Junction.
Robert Wilson Hilsabeck, Barnard.
Carl R. Weathermon, Guilford.

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Electric Theatre
To-Night
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Tyronne Powers, in
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A story that is dear to the hearts of the people.
Tomorrow— "In Mizzoura," comedy.



BASEBALL
Sunday Afternoon, 3 p. m.
Kegan Bros. vs. Maryville
Admission 25c. Ladies Free. Grandstand 10c to all.
Kegan Bros. have one of the fastest clubs on the road. Summa and Richardson will appear in Maryville lineup, so the game of the season is assured.


## WHEAT MEETINGS

**A NUMBER TO BE HELD NEXT WEEK—CAMPAIGN FOR WHEAT.**

## FIRST ONE AT XENIA

**The Others at Harmony, Elmo, Skidmore, Guilford and Lasher— Speaker From State College.**

A series of meetings will be held in this county in the interest of more wheat production campaign, it was decided yesterday at a conference of several of the members of the county council of defense and the officers of the county farm board. T. J. Talbert of the State Agricultural College of Columbia was here yesterday and conferred with the members.

The meetings will be held next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. On Monday, a meeting will be held at Xenia school near Pickering at 2 o'clock. C. R. Harmon is in charge of this meeting. A night meeting will be given at the Harmony church with Rev. C. R. Green and Albert Dowden in charge.

On Tuesday, an afternoon meeting at 2 o'clock will be given at Elmo with C. R. Lamar in charge of arrangements. One will be held at Skidmore in the evening and James Strickler and J. F. Kellogg are in charge.

For Wednesday, the speakers will be at Lasher school house with Lawrence Gault in charge. The night meeting will be held at Guilford and Carl Wray and Ollie Davis will be in charge.

A representative from the State College and C. H. Belting of the State Normal School will attend the meetings and give any assistance they can to the farmers.

More wheat must be grown. It is estimated that the Missouri acreage must be increased 30 per cent this fall over the acreage sown last fall if the state furnishes its quota of wheat needed in the United States and Europe. Concerning the necessity of increasing production, J. C. Hackleman of the University of Missouri College of Agriculture and chairman of the seed stocks committee of the Missouri Council of Defense has given the following interview to the press:

"There can be no question but that we are now facing a serious shortage of food in the world's store house and we must prepare to export more wheat during the next year and a half than ever before in the history of the United States.

"Our exports of wheat in 1916 were not to exceed 25 per cent of our production. During 1917 we must export 40 per cent and if this war continues longer than the next year we may be compelled to exceed even that figure if we supply the food which our allies must have.

"Missouri has been asked in this great wheat stimulation program to increase the wheat acreage very materially over the acreage sown last fall The increase necessary is about 30 per cent over the area sown last fall, but considering the harvested acreage this summer it will be necessary to increase from 1,539,000 acres to 2,400,000 acres.

"This increase means an average of about ten acres per farm instead of approximately seven as has been grown. The farmer, therefore, who sowed 20 acres of wheat last fall will sow at least 27 this fall. The man who sowed 50 acres will sow 65 to 70.

"Were it not for the fact that the world is hungry and the fact that there is an actual scarcity in the visible bread stuffs supply of the world, the farmers might be facing a glutted market. The condition of the world's food store, however, guarantees a heavy demand for all food produced, and especially is this true of the wheat from which the soldiers' bread must come.

"There never was a time in the history of the state and nation when the prospects were better for the farmer to make excellent profits from his farming operations. This is particularly true of wheat and the farmer who increases his acreage by 30 per cent will not only be rendering a patriotic service but he will at the same time be taking advantage of a good business opportunity."

**Will Visit in Ft. Riley.**

Dr. and Mrs. K. C. Cummins, Mrs. Mike Lahr and Miss Nina Bent leave today in the Cummins car, for Fort Riley where they will visit with Eugene Cummins, and Raymond Lahr, who are in training there.

## TWELVE REJECTED

**ALL THE MEN APPEARING THIS MORNING DISQUALIFIED.**

## TO CALL 300 MORE MEN

**That Many Will be Summoned Probably Next Week to Fill County's Quota of 202.**

Twelve men appeared this morning for physical examination and all of them were rejected on account of physical defects. These men were examined last week but on account of changes made in the requirements it was necessary to call them back.

These men were: Ferdinand M. Townsend, Paul D. Skidmore, Lieber Holmes, James Lee Mozingo, Arthur Lloyd Strader, Charles Enert Schmitt, Charley Levi Ross, Harry D. Wells, Herschel Eugene Wiles, Anselm E. Schumacher, James Alva Heflin and Ernest F. Breit.

A call for more men, probably 300 of them or from numbers 425 to 725, will be issued by the board next week to secure the quota from this county. While the quota is 202 10 per cent additional is to be secured which will make about 225 men.

Ninety-two men have been certified and seventy-three have been exempted by the board to date. The re-examining of the 204 men commenced today and it is predicted that probably not over thirty of them will be accepted. Out of the 425 men called, probably not over 130 to 140 men will be secured.

The first consignment of bronze exemption buttons for issuance to men discharged either for physical cause or because they are supporting dependents was received today. The buttons are quite small and bear a shield in relief around which appears the words, "Exempt, U. S." The emblems will be distributed with great care, to make certain that they will not fall into improper hands.

Any of the men who are to be examined Monday can come tomorrow for the examination between the hours of 9 and 12.

## 31 WOMEN REGISTERED

**List of Women Who Signed Up At Burlington Junction — One Willing to go Anywhere Called.**

Thirty-one women registered at Burlington Junction last Saturday. The registration there was in charge of Mrs. Elmer Baker, Mrs. J. W. Praiswater and Miss Alice Peters. One signified her willingness to go anywhere she might be called. Three others were willing to go any place in the United States. The others are willing to do work at home. The following women registered:

Mrs. Harry Clark, Mrs. C. T. Ferguson, Miss Mary Dollison, Miss Nelle Harvey, Miss Elizabeth Nicholas, Miss Bernice Baker, Miss Audrey Carter, Miss Lucile Carter, Miss Marie Carter, Miss May Greenelsh, Miss May Mitchell, Mrs. Catherine Gebbeken, Mrs. L. E. Miller, Mrs. Elmer Baker, Mrs. Maggie Carter, Mrs. Lou Carter, Mrs. Mary Peters, Miss Alice Peters, Mrs. E. E. Alvis, Mrs. G. L. Yaple, Mrs. H. E. Oehler, Mrs. Jesse F. Robertson, Mrs. R. N. Barber, Mrs. R. D. Corken, Mrs. J. A. Barr, Mrs. William Guyette, Mrs. J. W. Smith, Mrs. Anna Smith, Mrs. Frank Miller, Mrs. Jonathan Graves, Miss Mabel Corken.

## 19 PICKERING WOMEN

**Registered Last Saturday—One Willing to Go Any Place and Several Any Place in the U. S.**

Among the Pickering women who registered to serve the United States during the war, one registered to go any place and several registered to go any place in the United States. Those who registered were: Mrs. C. A. Coleman, Golda Carmichael, Edith Crowson, Mrs. Damewood, Crystal Everhart, Josephine Fakes, Ruth Florea, Myrtle Harman, Mrs. G. B. McArthur, Mrs. O. G. Null, Eunice Otis, Elizabeth Swaney, Frances Smith, Mrs. Wilbur Smith, Jennie Ringgold, Gertrude Van Velson, Mary Wolfers, Mrs. C. A. Wolfers, and Myrtle Null.

**Buys Ranch in Wyoming.**

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lyle and son returned yesterday from a two week's trip through the West. Mr. Lyle is much pleased with that country and bought a ranch just north of Cheyenne, Wyo.

THE RIGHT HAND—AND THE LEFT.

—Harding in Brooklyn Eagle.

## URGES PEOPLE TO REPORT

**If They Have Proof and Witnesses Relative to Claims or Discharges— Statement By Sawyers.**

Prosecuting Attorney W. G. Sawyers, who has been appointed to look into all claims filed or discharges granted by the local exemption board, asks the people to report any case they think should be investigated with proof and witnesses. In a statement Mr. Sawyers says:

"The object of the Government is to allow no person who is liable for military service to avoid this duty by means of false claims or mistaken examinations.

"As the appointed representative of the Provost Marshal General, I am admonished to look into all claims filed, or discharges granted.

"It is the privilege of any person and I might say duty, and I invite any one who has reason to believe that any particular case should be investigated, to report it to me, furnishing the proof or witnesses who may have knowledge of facts which should be placed before the Government; if such information is not given, it is possible that some one may avoid rendering a service they owe their country, and shift the burden on another.

"The finding of the local Board on dependent claims filed is made public today. I hope each person in the county will examine it carefully, and report all cases, as above requested."

## SUES TO SET ASIDE WILL

**Sibbie Garrard Brings Action to Break the Will of Her Brother, Henry A. Smith.**

Suit to set aside a will was filed today by W. C. Ellison, Walter Garrard and Sibbie Garrard against Joseph J. Enis, Conception Abbey, St. Benedict's Church of Clyde, Father Frowin Merrigan, the Immaculate Conception Church of Conception, and Father Placidus Schmid.

The petition states Henry A. Smith died July 8, 1917, and left an instrument purporting to be a will. The deceased was a brother of Sibbie Garrard, who is his sole surviving heir.

The following were the bequests of the will: $1,000 to Immaculate Conception Church; $1,000 to St. Benedict's Church at Clyde; about $1,000 to Joseph J. Enis, a friend of the deceased; and 100 acres to Sibbie Garrard.

The petition states that at the time of making the instrument, Henry Smith was not sufficiently sound in mind to know what he was doing and that influence was used. The will was written June 4, 1917.

**Ellisons on Motor Trip.**

Judge and Mrs W. C. Ellison, Mrs. Ike T. Pryor and George Robb Ellison left today on a few days' motor trip to Keokuk, Ia., and Canton, Mo. The latter place was formerly the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellison.

Miss Mary Margaret Richey returned last night from a two week's visit with relatives in Tarkio.

## FIVE SHIPS ARE BLOWN UP

**Three of Them are American Boats— Caused by Time Bombs Placed Aboard by Germans.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Pacific Port, Aug. 17.—Five ships, three American, one Japanese and one British are believer by mariners today to have been blown up while at sea by time bombs placed aboard by German agents. The story of a sailor finding bottles of acid placed near the powder cases so that if broken the powder would explode on board ship strengthened this belief. The schooners Betauga and Winslow, and the sailing ship R. C Slade flew the stars and stripes. The other two ships overdue are the British freighter, Wairuna, and the Japanese freighter, Kotohira.

## FEDS TO DEFEND TITLE

**Will Play Kegan Bros. Sunday — Summa and Richardson to Appear in Line-Up.**

The Maryville Feds, now champions of Northwest Missouri and Southwest Iowa, by virtue of their defeat of the Shenandoah Red Sox in their last game, will defend their new title next Sunday against the Kegan Bros. team of St. Joseph, one of the fastest clubs on the road.

Besides the strong line-up presented by the Feds in last Sunday's game, Richardson, the popular catcher of last year's team, and Summa, one of the best ball players in this section will appear against the Kegans.

Harry Scott is trying to give Maryville fans some good baseball this summer and a large crowd is expected to turn out and show their appreciation of his efforts. The game with the Kegans is sure to be one of the best of the season.

## MANY AT PARNELL PICNIC

**Charles F. McCaffrey the Speaker Today — Judge Dawson to Speak Tomorrow.**

Several hundred persons attended the first day of Parnell's annual three day picnic. Robert Curry of Parnell was the principal speaker yesterday afternoon and Charles McCaffrey of Maryville, will be this afternoon's speaker.

A number of free attractions are furnished each day and this afternoon egg races and foot races will be a part of the program. The Rosendale band and the Leonard Players are furnishing music each day.

Judge John M. Dawson of Maryville will talk at the picnic tomorrow afternoon.

## A DESPERATE FIGHT

**GERMANS LAUNCHED TWO ASSAULTS AGAINST CANADIANS.**

## ALLIES ADVANCE A MILE

**British-French Forces Held All the Important Positions They Had Won In Belgium.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Aug. 17.—Battles raged all along the British front during the night, while soldiers were surging over the blood-soaked soil in West Flanders. Germans north of Lens are making a desperate effort to relieve pressure in the Lens sector. In France two heavy assaults were launched against trenches won by the Canadians and temporary success gained, but the war office announced today the British later re-took all the ground they had lost.

**Allies Advance A Mile.**

London, Aug. 17.—The first day's fighting in the new Anglo-French drive in Belgium along a ten-mile front has pressed back the German lines at some points more than a mile. The Germans struck back furiously and violent fighting was in progress all night but the British-French forces held all the important positions they had won.

**French Troops In Roumania.**

Geneva, Aug. 17.—French troops are fighting with the Russians and Rumanians on the Moldavian front, according to Berlin advices. An earlier report said that British artillery men were assisting the Russo-Rumanian forces.

**Germans Set Fire to St. Quentin.**

Paris, Aug. 17.—The Germans holding St. Quentin have set fire to the cathedral which has now been burning for hours, the war office reports. It dates back to the twelfth century.

## MANY ENLISTED SINCE JUNE 5

**Board Received Names of Men Registered Here and Have Since Joined the Service.**

The local exemption board received today the list of men who have enlisted since they registered here June 5, from the Adjutant General in Jefferson City. Whether this will cut down the county's quota was not known or stated in the letter.

The following are the men enlisted: Gordon Neale, second lieutenant officers' reserve corps at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y.; Forrest June Weddle, navy; Emmett Russell Littler, navy; Francis Marion Jenkins, navy; Thomas E. Fleming, navy; Charles H. McReynolds, navy; Robert S. Edminston, Co. A., Tarkio; Glenn A. Clark, Co. A, Tarkio; Charles B. Ellis, Jr., signal corps; William Everett Allman, navy; Chauncey Melvin Saville, navy; J. C. Robinson, Co. A, Tarkio; Eugene Joseph Cummins, medical department; Port A. Evans, medical department; Berthold Blatter, Co. A, Tarkio; Harry A. Bailey, signal corps; Raymond Anthony Lahr, medical department; John Jacob Ashford, infantry; Frank Blair Auten, medical department; Robert Harold Groppe, signal corps; James Henry Martindale, medical department; James Grover Hostetter, infantry.

**Much Discussion on Revenue Bill.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 17.—With taxes aggregating $400,000,000 already agreed to, the revenue bill today began to strike snags. Leaders still hold to their prediction that the bill will be passed before the end of the week, but so much discussion is likely to develop over the income tax and the war profits law that a vote on the measure before September first seems improbable.

**THE WEATHER**

Generally fair tonight and Saturday; not much change in temperature.


Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
10 and 15 cents

ART DRAMA CO., WITH
JEAN SOTHERN
THE CAPABLE YOUNG ACTRESS
'The Cloud'
A STORY OF A GIRL'S SACRIFICE FOR HER MOTHER.
Tomorrow—"HOUSE OF CARDS."

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Mrs. Isaac Martin, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Garrett, north of Maryville, will leave tonight for her home in Pittsburg, Kan. She will be accompanied home by Mrs. George Garrett and her son, Carl.

Miss Mary Barrett returned to her home in Skidmore this morning after a few days' visit with her brother Elwood Barrett and family on North Fillmore street.

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## *Official Text of Pope's Peace Plea*

"To the leaders of the belligerent peoples:

"Since the beginning of our pontificate, the horrors of a terrible war let loose on Europe, we have in view above everything three things to preserve: Perfect impartiality towards all belligerents as is suitable for Him, who is the common Father and who loves all His children with equal affection. Continually to attempt to do all the good possible and that without exception of persons, without distinction of nationality or religion as is dedicated to us by the universal law of charity which the supreme spiritual charge has confided to us with Christ. Finally our pacific mission also required to omit nothing, as long as it was in our power, which might contribute to hasten the end of this calamity by trying to lead people and their leaders to more moderate resolution to hasten a serene deliberation of peace just and durable.

**Faithfully Impartial.**

"Whoever has followed our work during these three painful years which have just passed has been able easily to recognize that if we have always remained faithful to our resolve of absolute impartiality and our attitude of benevolence, we have not ceased to exhort the peoples and the belligerent brothers again to become brethren, although publicity has not been given to all that we have done to attain this very noble aim.

"Towards the end of the first year of the war we addressed to the nations in conflict most lively exhortations, and more, we indicated the part to be followed to arrive at a stable and honorable peace for all. Unfortunately our appeal was not heard, and the war continued desperately for another two years with all its horrors. It became even more cruel and extended over the earth, over the seas and in the air; one saw desolation and death descend upon the cities without defense, upon peaceful villages and on their innocent population; and now no one can imagine how the sufferings of all would be increased and aggravated if other months, or, worse still, other years are about to be added to this sanguinary triennium.

**Moral Force of Right.**

"First of all, the fundamental points must be that the material force of arms be substituted by the moral force of right from which shall arise a fair agreement for all for the simultaneous, and reciprocal diminution of armaments according to the rules and guarantees to be established in a measure necessary and sufficient for the maintenance of public order in each state. Then in the substitution for armies, the institution of arbitration with its high pacifying function, according to the rules to be laid down and the penalties to be imposed on a state which would refuse either to submit a national question to arbitration or to accept its decision.

**Horror of Future.**

"Is this civilized world to be nothing more than a field of death? And Europe so glorious and so flourishing is it going as if stricken by a universal madness to run to the abyss and to lend its hand to its own suicide.

"In such a terrible situation as in the presence of menace so serious, we who have no particular aim, who do not listen to suggestions or to the interests of any of the belligerent parties, are solely compelled by a sentiment of our supreme duty as the common father of the faithful, by the solicitation of our children who implore our intervention and our pacifying work.

"Through the voice even of humanity and of reason we once more emit the cry of peace, and we renew a pressing appeal to those who hold in their hands the destinies of nations. But in order no longer to speak in general terms as the circumstances had counselled us in the past, we now wish to make a more concrete and practical proposal, and to invite the governments of the belligerent peoples to come to an agreement upon the following points which seem to be a basis of a just and durable peace, leaving to them the task of analyzing and completing them.

"Once the supremacy of right has thus been established all obstacles to the means of communication of the peoples would disappear by assuring, by rules to be fixed later, the true liberty and community of the seas, which would continue to end the numerous causes of conflict and would also open to all new sources of prosperity and progress.

"As to the damages to be repaired and as to the war expenses, we see no other means of solving the question than by submitting as a general principle the complete and reciprocal condonation which would be justified moreover by the immense benefit to be derived from disarmament so much so that no one will understand the continuation of a similar carnage solely for reasons of an economic order.

**Reciprocal Restitution.**

"If for certain cases there exist particular reasons they would be deliberated upon with justice and equity, but these pacific agreements, with the immense advantages to be derived from them, are not possible without a reciprocal restitution of the territory at present occupied.

"Consequently on the part of Germany the complete evacuation of Belgium with the guarantee of her full political, military and economic independence toward it.

"The evacuation of French territory. On the part of other belligerent parties similar restitution of the German colonies.

"As regards the territorial questions, as for example those which have arisen between Italy and Austria and between Germany and France there is reason to hope that in consideration of the immense advantages of a durable peace with disarmament the parties in conflict would wish to examine them with a conciliatory disposition, taking into consideration as we have said formerly, the aspirations of the peoples and the special interests and the general welfare of the great human society.

**Balkan Question.**

"The same spirit of equity and justice ought to be followed in the examination of other territorial and questions, notably those relative to Armenian and the Balkan states and territories making a part of the ancient kingdom of Poland whose noble and historical traditions and sufferings which it has endured especially during the present war ought to conciliate the sympathies of nations.

"Such are the principal basis whereupon we believe the future reorganization of the peoples ought to be built. They are of a nature to render impossible the return of similar conflicts and to prepare a solution of the economic question so important for the future and for the material well-being of all belligerent states.

"Therefore, in presenting to you, who direct at this hour the destinies of the belligerent nations, we are animated to see them accept and to see thus the conclusion at an early date of the terrible struggle which more and more appears a useless massacre.

**Honor of Both Safe.**

"The whole world recognizes that the honor of the armies of both sides is safe. Incline your ears therefore, to our prayer. Accept the fraternal invitation which we send you in the name of the divine redeemer, the prince of peace. Reflect on your very grave responsibility before God and before man.

"On your decision depend repose and the joy of innumerable families; the life of thousands of young people; in a word, the happiness of a people for whom it is your absolute duty to obtain their welfare.

"May the Lord inspire your decision in conformity to His very holy will. May God grant that while meriting the applause of your contemporaries you will also obtain in the future generations a splendid name of pacificators.

"As for us closely united in prayer and in penitence with all those faithful souls which sigh for peace we implore for you the light and counsel of the divine spirit.

(Signed) "BENEDICT."

"At the Vatican, Aug. 1."

**Nature Needs Assistance In Keeping You Well**

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| Centerville, Iowa, Lump | 5.50 |
| Fancy Lump, Huntsville, Mo. | 5.25 |
| Wyoming Lump | $8.75 |

All Coal well forked
Hard Coal prices quoted when it arrives.

WOOD

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| Hard Wood, cord length, per cord | $6.00 |
| Hard Wood, sawed, per cord | 7.00 |

ICE

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| Manufactured and Natural Ice, per cwt., | 35c to 50c |

FEED

Call for prices; the market is too changeable to quote for any length of time.

NATIVE LUMBER, POSTS AND WOOD

75,000 feet of Native Lumber consisting of dimensions from 2x4 to 2x12.

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| Boxing from 1x4 to 1x12, any length | $2.50 to $3.00 |
| Burr Oak sawed Posts, each | 20c |
| Burr Oak split Posts, (good) each | 15c |

AT FARM.

Wagon Tongue, Neck Yoke, Single-tree and Double-tree material.

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| Hard Wood, per cord (at farm) | $5.00 |
| Slabs, per cord (at farm) | $2.50 |

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BUYING AND SHIPPING GOOD BAILED HAY

**Wm. Everhart**

**Blankets and FURS**

The greatest Blanket and Fur Sale we ever held is now on. Be sure and take advantage of this offer tomorrow.

We advise you to buy all of your needs now. The government has made large contracts for all kinds of goods to equip the large army and of course this will cause a great scarcity of Blankets and other merchandise.

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| $7.50 Wool Blankets (large size) now only | $6.75 |
| $5.00 Wool Blankets, now only - | $4.50 |
| $4.50 Woolnap Blankets, now only - | $4.05 |
| $2.50 Cotton Blanket, now only - | $2.25 |
| $1.98 Cotton Blankets, now only - | $1.79 |
| $1.50 Cotton Blankets, now only - | $1.35 |

*FURS*

One Special lot of Muffs, only **$4.00**
All other Furs will be offered for Saturday only at 20 PER CENT DISCOUNT

**Haines**
HAS IT CHEAPER.
(By the Bunch, Without the Boss).

**Back From Western Trip.**

George Pat Wright returned yesterday from a several week's trip to Great Falls, Mont., Glacier Park, Denver and other western points.

**Here Visiting Her Parents.**

Mrs. W. L. Rugg arrived in Maryville last night for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hull. Mr. Rugg will come next Wednesday. During the summer they have been at a number of places in the East. Mr. Rugg is with the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.

**Joe Carden to the Navy.**

Joe Carden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Carden, received notification yesterday to report at Kansas City for service in the navy.

Oats on the A. L. Oakerson farm, west of Maryville averaged sixty bushels an acre. Twenty acres of wheat on this farm made twenty bushels to the acre.

Russell Forest of Newton, Ia., enlisted here today with the Signal Corps and will leave tomorrow morning for Jefferson Barracks.

Mrs. Ed Simmons and Mrs. Dale Simmons of Parnell were shopping in Maryville yesterday.

Judge and Mrs. Jesse Robertson of Burlington Junction, have taken rooms at the W. A. Miller home on South Main street, and will come to Maryville, September 1, to make their home.

Mrs. Katherine Wood, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Turner, of Red Oak, Ia., returned this morning to her home in Maryville. She was accompanied home by her two grandsons, Lee and Earl Sattro, who will visit for a few days in Maryville.

**Funeral Held This Morning.**

The body of Mrs. Carl Hammert, daughter of Mr and Mrs. G. F. Lawson, who died at her home in Oklahoma, arrived in Ravenwood yesterday, and funeral services were held at 11 o'clock this morning at the Methodist church, conducted by the Rev. R. C. Holliday. Burial will be in the Oak Lawn cemetery.

Miss Agatha Kroetch and Miss Lucy Sturm returned today from a six week's visit in South Dakota with relatives and friends. While they were gone they spent four weeks in the Black Hills.

The women of St. Mary's Catholic church will hold a social Monday night August 20, in the church parlors. Refreshments will be served. Everyone is invited to come.

**Bevier Fancy Lump on Burlington track at $4.75 per ton while it lasts. Better get your order in quick.**
**The Shoemaker-Bovard Co.**

**We Have Never Drilled a Dry Hole**

We have six producing oil wells. We are down over 1800 feet in our seventh well and are drilling night and day. ¶We have 5000 acres of leases in the greatest oil producing state in the union, OKLAHOMA.

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***Linville Hotel***
*Maryville, Missouri*

## CAPT. COLBERT HOME.

**On A Visit to His Parents—Will Report Aug. 27 at Rockford, Ill.**

Captain Herschel Colbert arrived in Maryville last evening for a visit with his parents, Dean and Mrs. George H. Colbert. Mr. Colbert was recently commissioned a captain of the officers reserve corps at Fort Sheridan, Ill. Capt. Colbert was assigned to Rockford, Ill., and is to report for duty Aug. 27.

## Dr. Gertrude DuVall

The Fitting of Glasses a Specialty.

Will be in
Maryville, Mo., Aug. 20 and 21
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Those desiring to be fitted call at number given.
YEARS OF EXPERIENCE. PRICE REASONABLE.



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How much money do you represent? If you earn $600 a year you are a factory with $12,000 capital.

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*CAPITAL -:- $200,000.00*


Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Brumbaugh of Kansas City, Kan., are guests at the home of Mrs. Brumbaugh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Shupe, west of Maryville. On their return home their little daughter, Florence, who has been visiting for several weeks with her grandparents, will return with them.

R. A. Noakes of Burlington Junction was in Maryville yesterday.

Fred Vandersloot, who has been visiting for several days with his father, A. Vandersloot of Plainview, Tex., will return to his home tonight.

Misses Ruth and Lillian McDowell of Skidmore will arrive in Maryville tonight to spend the week-end with their cousin, Miss Beulah Bagby.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Leech of Pickering are in Maryville on business today.


# SUMMER FARES

### EAST

The Wabash is the direct line to Detroit, Buffalo and the East. Low Summer fares in effect—

Round Trip

$30.75 ..... to Detroit
$38.10 to Buffalo, Niagara Falls
$50.85 ..... to New York
$ [illegible] ..... to Boston

### WEST

The Wabash and its connection now have new and far faster train service to Colorado, California and the West.

Round Trip

Colorado ..... $22.20
California ..... $62.66
Yellowstone ..... $38.58
Portland, Seattle ..... $62.66

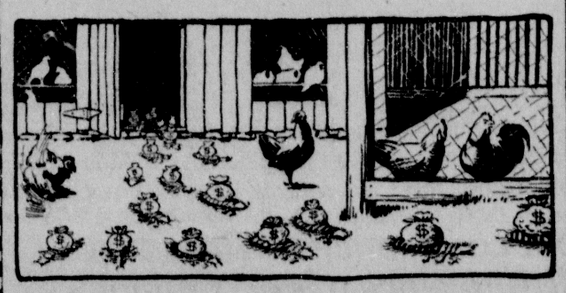
## Wabash

Find out about these and other summer fares. See the undersigned Wabash Agent or write to H. C. Shields, General Agent, Pass'r Dept., 311 So. Fourteenth St., Omaha, Neb.

E. L. FERRITOR, AGENT, Maryville Missouri.



## The Lice are Getting your Profits



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**PEARSON'S PHARMACY**
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### P. O. AT CAMP CLARK NOW.

**Persons Who Send Mail to Troopers Should Exercise Care.**

The postoffice authorities here today received notice that an independent postoffice has been established at Camp Clark, the state mobilization camp near Nevada, and instructions have been received regarding mail for the troops there.

Care should be taken to properly address letters, the department points out, as more than 12,000 troops, twice the number there last summer preceding the movement to the border, will be stationed at the camp during the training period. These branches are represented and letters should be addressed in care of one of the units to which the person addressed is attached: Infantry, cavalry, field hospital, motor supply train, ambulance department, signal corps, field artillery, engineers corps. Following is a sample address.

Private John H. Smith,
Company M. Fourth Infantry Reg.,
Missouri National Guard,
Camp Clark, Nevada, Mo.

**Wilson Nicholas Here.**

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Nicholas and little daughter, and Miss Audrey Leonhardt of Osceola, Mo., are visiting relatives in Burlington Junction and vicinity this week. They drove through to Maryville last week and will return there today for a visit with Wilson's parents, Mr and Mrs. Miles Nicholas, before going home. Wilson is farming in partnership with his uncle, A. C. Nicholas, on a 400-acre farm near Osceola. They have a small herd of registered Angus cattle and are having good success with them. Land in that country sells from $30 to $75 an acre, and Wilson says it will produce about half what Nodaway county land will. So it's about an even break.—Burlington Junction Post.

**Two Didn't Report.**

Of the quite lengthy list that "failed to report" for examination to the county board, only two names were given from Burlington Junction. Jack E. Barker is at Enderlin, N. D., having sent his registration card to this place. Benjamin Ernest Gossard, who was published in the list as "whereabouts unknown," enlisted two weeks ago in the Tarkio company of the Fourth regiment.—Burlington Junction Post.

**Big Price for Corn.**

H. Logan, one of the most successful stockmen in Nodaway and Green townships, received the highest price for corn Friday when he sold about 900 bushels to H. C. Bailey of Quitman for $2.20 a bushel, delivered on the track at Quitman. Some increase over the price when Mr. Logan first began farming in this country, corn at that time being worth about 13 cents a bushel.—Burlington Junction Post.

Small grain is making a good yield in this neighborhood. A. J. Wells had 20 acres of oats that averaged 55 bushels to the acre and Harry Mitchell had 25 acres of wheat that averaged 26 bushels to the acre.—Skidmore News.

Misses Dorothy Pierce and Hildred Hanna, and Mrs. Ed Signs, who have been spending a few days in St. Joseph, returned last night in the Pierce car, to Maryville. Mrs. W. C. Pierce and Mrs. O. C. Hanna, who were also in St. Joseph returned Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. James Faris left this morning for St. Joseph where they will make their home for the winter. Mr. Faris has a position as teacher in the St. Joseph schools.

Mrs. Emogene Moorhead of Skidmore is visiting in Maryville with her niece, Mrs. Ellwood Barrett and family.

Mrs. T. L. Wilderman left this morning for a two months' stay in Denver. She will stop in Steele City, Neb., for a visit with Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Taylor

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Wallace of Creston, Ia., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. A. Edwards today.

Mrs. Mary Speck left this week for points in Tennessee, where she will visit with relatives.

Marcus T. Nielsen left this morning for Red Oak, Ia., where he will visit for a few days with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Brice Hall and family drove to Savannah today to visit relatives.

Mrs. E. L. Townsend and Mrs. F. M. Townsend were St. Joseph visitors today.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Chris Cummins and daughter, went to Stanberry today.

Clarence Merrigan of Clyde is in Maryville on business today.

T. A. Cummins returned yesterday from a trip to Canada.

## Society and Clubland

By MISS LUTA MOODY.
Hanamo, 42. Farmers, 114

**W. R. C. To Meet.**

The W. R. C. will hold their regular meeting Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. A full attendance is urgently requested.

**Meeting Postponed.**

The meeting of the Woman's Catholic Order of Forresters which was to have been held Saturday afternoon, has been postponed until 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, August 25.

**Entertain Minister and Guests.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Knabb entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at their home northwest of Maryville. Their guests were: Rev. and Mrs. Claude Ragsdale of Elmo and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Ragsdale and son, Ray, and daughter, Estelle, of Washington, Ind.

**For St. Joseph Guests.**

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ulmer entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Thursday in honor of Mrs. Charley Thorp and daughter, Miss Edna Thorp of St. Joseph. Covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ulmer, Mrs. Charley Thorp, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Edwards, Miss Edna Thorp, Forrest, Pauline and Leota Edwards and the host and hostess.

**Mrs. McMillen, Hostess.**

The Pickering Needlework club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. G. McMillen. The afternoon was spent socially. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Those present were: Mrs. Ed Herbert, Mrs. Wilbur Smith, Mrs. Jacob Wiley, Mrs. E. L. Crowson and her guest, Mrs. Mary Bristow, Mrs. Gordon Swinford, Miss Mary Wolfers, Mrs. Harry Yates, Mrs. Walter Johnson and Mrs. Marvin Hall.

**New Club Formed.**

A Crochet Club, which will be known as the C. C. Club has been formed by a number of young ladies in Maryville. The first meeting was held last Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Hattie Culver, 222 West Ninth street. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. Those present were: Misses Verla Gatton, Mary Gross, Hazel Frede, Evelyn Moore and Viola Gatton. The next meeting will be held with Miss Hazel Frede.

**Celebrate Birthday and Wedding Anniversary.**

Mrs. Robert Craven and Mrs. Anna Stauble were hostesses at a 12 o'clock dinner, given yesterday at their home on West Second street, in honor of Mr. Craven's birthday anniversary, and also in honor of the sixth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Steiger of Ravenwood. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Seafers, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Welborn, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Gooden and son, Forrest, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Steiger of Ravenwood.

**I. I. Club Met Wednesday.**

The I. I. Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Brice Hall. The regular business session was held after which watermelon was served by the hostess. The members were: Mrs. John Halasey, Mrs. Joe Cockayne and baby, Mrs. Lon Hughes, Mrs. Claude Shell, Mrs. Maurice Brennen, Mrs. Andrew Fink, Mrs. Ida Duncan, Miss Lyda Onstott, Miss Nellie Halasey, Miss Irene Babb, Miss Jennie Duncan. The visitors were: Mrs. J. M. Hughes, Mrs. Joe Wilson of Sheridan, Wyo., Mrs. R. L. McGinness and twin daughters, Mrs. John Dooley and daughter, Mildred, Pearl, Booth, Reah Shell, Lora Willhoyte, Robert Hughes and Ella Marjorie Shell.

**Entertained the H. K. G. Club.**

Mrs. Roy Killam entertained the members of the H. K. G. club Friday afternoon, August 10. The meeting was opened by Bible quotations after which Mrs. William Berkey and Mrs. Charles Florea sang a duet. After the business meeting a dainty lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Everett Florea, Addie Killam and Mary Leech. The members present were: Mrs. William Berkey, Mrs. Will Hantz, Mrs. Ernest Wray, Mrs. Ira Kelly, Mrs. Carrie Leech, Mrs. Will Shelman, Mrs. Louis Pistole, Mrs. Charles Florea, Mrs. Lon Leech, Miss Addie Killam, Mrs. Everett Florea. The visitors present were: Misses Mary Leech, Vernie Pistole, Iva Wray, Pauline Killam, Harold Leech and Noble Florea. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Charles Killam, Friday afternoon, August 24.


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**Entertain for Kansas Visitor.**

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cook were host and hostess at a 12 o'clock dinner given today at their home on South Main street, complimentary to Mrs. Isaac Martin of Pittsburg, Kan., who is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Garrett, and son, Carl, laid for: Mrs. Isaac Martin, Mr. and Mrs. eGorge Garrett and son, Carl, Misses Elizabeth, Margaret and Marie Cook, Frank Cook and the host and hostess.

**The Lend-A-Hand Circle.**

The Lend-A-Hand circle met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Bessie King. The members present were: Mrs. Alice Broyles, Mrs. Maggie Slawson, Mrs. Mary Kost Riffle, and Misses Mable Riffle and Katheryn Broyles. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hill were guests of the club.

Individual work in Red Cross lines as well as surgical dressings were discussed, and members who are unable to work away from home, expressed their willingness to furnish materials for hospital supplies. The social hour was very pleasantly spent, and light refreshments were served by the hostess. The free will offering amounted to 65 cents. Mrs. Maggie Slawson will entertain the club at the next meeting, which will be Wednesday, September 19.

Mrs. Grace Fogan and Miss Besse Knox will leave Monday morning for Greeley, Colorado Springs and Denver, Colo., where they will spend their vacation visiting friends and relatives. They will also stop at Fort Riley, Kan. where they will visit the Maryville boys that are in training there.

Miss Georgia Hull of Plattsmouth, Neb., arrived in Maryville last night to visit for a few days with her uncle, Fred Hull, and her aunt, Miss Emma Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burch of Clearmont, George Westfall of Burlington Junction and James Westfall of Swink, Colo., were city visitors today.

**New Manager of Lincoln Co., Here.**

H. G. Jenks of Lincoln, Neb., arrived in Maryville last night, to take charge of the Lincoln Company Five and Ten Cent store. Mr. Jenks will take the place of Joseph C. Lee, who has resigned his position with that company and who will report soon for the second officers' reserve camp at Fort Sheridan, Ill. Mr. Jenks was with the Du Pont Powder Company in Lincoln, and prior to that had charge of a Lincoln store in Illinois.


**NOTICE.**

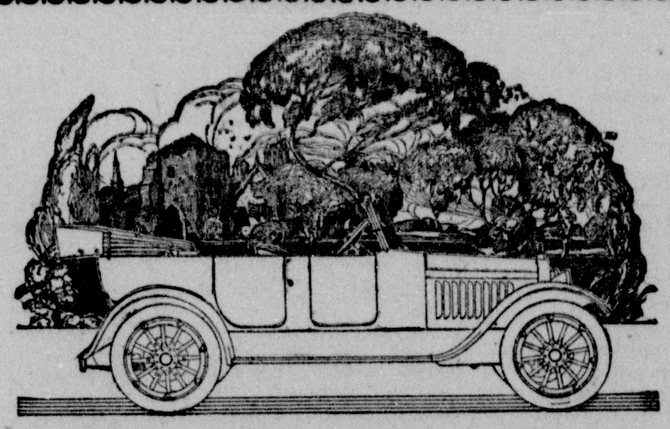
Have your feet treated. Dr. Tandy is at the Balnum Hotel. Will make residence calls. Phone Hanamo 172. 6tf.


Miss Lois Johnson, of Fulton, Mo., who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson of Pickering, is now the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. T. Gray of Maryville.


We are now connected with the SEWELL GARAGE where you will find us prepared to take care of all kinds of repair work.

**IRBY & WHITNEY**





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| TOURING CAR, 5-PASSENGER | $1250 | TOWN CAR, 7-PASSENGER | $2925 |
| TOURING CAR, 7-PASSENGER | $1350 | TOWN CAR, LANDAULET | $3025 |
| STANDARD ROADSTER | $1250 | LIMOUSINE, 7-PASSENGER | $2925 |
| TOURING SEDAN | $1850 | LIMOUSINE LANDAULET | $3025 |
| CABRIOLET, 3-PASSENGER | $1625 | RECORD SPEEDSTER | $2500 |
| | | DUPLEX, 4-PASSENGER | $1475 |

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## MISCELLANEOUS

STRAYED—Dark bay mule. Owner may have by paying for pasture and adv. C. L. Evans, Farmers 4-13. 15-17*

TAKEN UP—Strayed sow, since August 2, weight about 325 pounds. W. Miller on Joe Thompson place, 7 miles northwest of Barnard. 16-18*

LOST — On the Normal grounds, watch case with initials N. R. Finder leave at this office. 15-17*

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing; estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Han. 46.

## WANTED

JUNK—I will pay the highest prices for all kinds of junk, also all junk automobiles. Calls promptly attended to. Maryville Iron & Metal Co., Hanamo 116, Farmers 176. 13-22*

WANTED—Salesmen, of good character and reputation, acquainted with the best farmers. Call for Mr. Arrold, Linville Hotel. 17-20

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good as new 2-room house, to be removed from premises. Chas. Hyslop. 24tf

FOR SALE—Sow and eight pigs. 1913 East 5th St., Hanamo 6441. 13tf

FOR SALE—Good laundry stove at a bargain. Call at Holt property between Sixth and Seventh streets on N. Fillmore. Ellwood Barrett X

FOR SALE—75 feet iron railing and posts and 100 feet stone base for same. 219 West Second St., Han. 729. 10-tf

HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT — 6 large rooms; empty Sept. 1. Choice building lots for sale. See J. T. Hays, Hanamo 575. 2tf

FOR SALE—4 second hand organs and music box, low price. 816 South Buchanan. Hanamo 203. 15-17

FOR SALE—Cream separator, good as new. Call Bob McLarnon on Guy Gray farm, 2½ miles east of Maryville. 17-20*

FARM FOR SALE—We have listed for immediate sale, 100 acres; very desirable home. Owner lives in another state and wishes to sell at once. This farm is located 5 miles of a good shipping point in this county, has house of 9 rooms, barn 32x40, wagon shed, hen house, cement cave, milk house, cement walks, coal house, 2 wells, cistern, family orchard, 20 acres hog-tight, some steel posts, school and church at farm. Owner wants cash all but $7,000, will carry back balance at 6 per cent. This is what you want, get the price of Holmes & Wolfert. Also have 80 acres, 3 miles of good shipping point, good improvements; owner will take down $1,500, balance at 6 per cent long time. Get busy and quit paying rent.—Holmes & Wolfert. 17-23

## HAWK FUNERAL TODAY.

**The Services Were Largely Attended At Ravenwood.**

Funeral services for Oscar G. Hawk who committed suicide by shooting himself, at his home near Ravenwood Tuesday evening, were held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Methodist church, the Rev. A. R. Hunt of Savannah officiating. Burial was in the Oak Lawn cemetery.

**Overmier Funeral Held.**

Services for Noah Overmier, who died Wednesday evening, were held at the residence on East Fourth street this afternoon, conducted by the Rev. R. C. Holliday. Burial took place at the Miriam cemetery and the services at the grave were in charge of the Odd Fellows lodge. The pall bearers were: Frank Orcutt, Noah Sipes, Howard Whaley, W. C. Irwin, J. S. Pfeiffer and F. M. Manley.

A quartet composed of Mrs. L. P. Colvin, Mrs. N. F. Humber, W. E. Goforth and R. C. Seals, gave a number of selections.

Miss Jennie Garrett returned today to her home in Maryville after a several week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Harry Foster of Des Moines, Ia. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Foster, who will visit with relatives in Maryville.

**A Good Band Concert.**

The band concert by the newly organized band was given last evening and was much appreciated by the large crowd present. The community singing was also good and the numbers sung were "Old Black Joe," "The Old Oaken Bucket," and "The Star Spangled Banner."

**Buys Property.**

Omer Catterson has purchased the Hannah Ricketts property of two lots and a residence on North Mulberry street. The consideration was $3,000.

Mr. and Mrs. James Claude Baird and little daughter, have returned to their home in Chicago, after a several week's visit with Mrs. Baird's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Bent.


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## LATE TELEGRAPH NEWS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Aug. 17.—After eight days without service the street car strike was settled yesterday and full service resumed.

Oklahoma City, Aug. 17.—Gus Anthony, alleged "bootlegger" died this morning of wounds received in a fight with officers near here last night. Another "whiskey runner" believed either killed or fatally wounded. One officer shot through both arms. Men are said to be returning from Wichita Falls, Tex., with a load of booze.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—Three policemen were injured, one fatally when an automobile in which they were chasing bandits collided with another.

**Potatoes at 60c a Bushel.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—Potatoes at sixty cents and possibly fifty cents a bushel within two months is the prediction of Orrin K. Earle, head of one of Chicago's biggest potato concerns. The drop may come within thirty days, he says. This year's crop is a hundred per cent larger than last year's.

**Will Go To France Soon.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Official confirmation of reports that troops of New England national guard will go to France with or preceding "rainbow division," was issued at the war department today.

**Commission Discusses Coal Situation.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Federal trade commission went into secret session today to discuss the coal situation. It is intimated the commission will work harmoniously with the governors of the thirteen states.

**Hogs to $18.60 at Chicago.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Chicago, Aug. 17. — While hogs jumped to a top price of $18.60, cattle dropped to $15.00. Sheep are selling twenty cents lower than at the close of yesterday's market.

**Hogs $18.85 in East St. Louis.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

East St. Louis, Aug. 17.—Hogs went to $18.85, the highest in the history of the country.

**Wilcox Revival.**

Tonight the services will be in honor of "Mother." To each mother a small flag will be presented at the door. Hal Catterson of Maryville sang a solo last night. Watch for the sermon entitled "The Last Automobile."

Among the Maryville people to attend the Parnell picnic are: Mr. and Mrs. Pete Myers and sons, Daniel and Leo, Katherine Miller of Chillicothe, Dave and Louie Lehmer, and Bertha, Eva and Anna Lehmer.

Miss Edna Bonewitz will return tonight from a week's visit in Des Moines, Ia., with Miss Golda Airy.


**MOTHERHOOD WOMAN'S JOY**

**Suggestions to Childless Women.**

Among the virtues of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the ability to correct sterility in the cases of many women. This fact is well established as evidenced by the following letter and hundreds of others we have published in these colums.

Poplar Bluff, Mo.—"I want other women to know what a blessing Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been to me. We had always wanted a baby in our home but I was in poor health and not able to do my work. My mother and husband both urged me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so, my health improved and I am now the mother of a fine baby girl and do all my own house work."—Mrs. ALLIA B. TIMMONS, 216 Almond St., Poplar Bluff, Mo.

In many other homes, once childless, there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy and strong

Write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice—it will be confidential and helpful.


## MARKET REPORTS

**MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.**

**Grain Futures.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Aug. 17.— WHEAT — Sept., $2.08.

CORN—Dec., $1.11⅝; May, $1.09⅜.

**Kansas City Live Stock.**

Kansas City, Aug. 17.—CATTLE — Receipts, 2,000; market, good.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,000; top, $18.55; bulk, $17.75@$18.45.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000.

**Chicago Live Stock.**

Chicago, Aug. 17.—CATTLE— Receipts, 4,000; market, 15c lower.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; market, 35c higher; top, $18.50.

SHEEP—Receipts, 10,000; market, 20c lower.

**St. Joseph Live Stock.**

St. Joseph, Aug. 17.—CATTLE—Receipts, 800.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,000; market, 5c higher; top, $18.20.

SHEEP—Receipts, 500.

**Furnished daily by Speirs Produce company.**

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| Buttter fat, per lb | 38c |
| Eggs | 25 |
| Hens | 14 |
| Spring Chickens, per lb | 18c |
| Hides, per lb | 16c |
| Ducks, per lb | 10c |
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Try this delicious combination of dainty food and appetizing drink:

Cold salmon on lettuce leaves—mayonnaise dressing—cottage cheese—*Bevo*.

Every one of the foregoing foods will give you an added enjoyment if you sip *Bevo* as you eat. But while thinking of *Bevo* as the ideal table beverage, do not overlook its goodness as a refresher at all times. Unusual and unusually good.

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## 92 MEN SELECTED

(Continued from Page 1)

Dana Glen Pruitt, Clearmont.

Orlando Hawk, Ravenwood.

Henry Everett Heath, Burlington Junction.

Marshall Newman Yetter, Elmo.

Arlen Hubert Dredge, Elmo.

Stephen Joseph Donahue, Skidmore.

Cecil Joseph Porterfield, Clearmont.

Walter Cleveland Runnels, Pickering.

Ula Ulamont Moorehouse, Hopkins

Jesse Fay Everhart, Barnard.

Clarence Henry Miller, Burlington Junction

Samuel Francis Bruno, Conception Junction.

Hugo Simon Eichenhofer, Conception Junction.

Alfred C. Melton, Quitman.

Martin H. Weston, Graham.

Charles M. Nelson, Guilford.

Joseph Tiefenauer, Conception.

John Floyd Auten, Sheridan.

Charles H. Money, Skidmore.

Robert Lloyd Burch, Hopkins.

Hobart Booker Warren, Barnard.

Jake Harry Wallace, Clearmont.

Ray L. Hurst, Bolckow.

Samuel Milton Chamberlain, Burlington Junction.

Leonard Burdett Sallee, Elmo

Leon Charles Severs, Barnard.

Benjamin Harrison Patrick, Clearmont.

George Mathew Kemp, Maryville.

Charles E. Curtin, Skidmore.

Everett Edward Lawson, Ravenwood.

**Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads**

**Lieut. Hogan Here On Visit.**

Lieutenant Ray Paul Hogan, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hogan of near Maryville, arrived in Maryville yesterday for a visit with his parents. Lieut. Hogan will be in the field artillery service. Hogan was in training at Fort Riley, Kan.

Announcement of The

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*Sept. 3 to 8 Inclusive*

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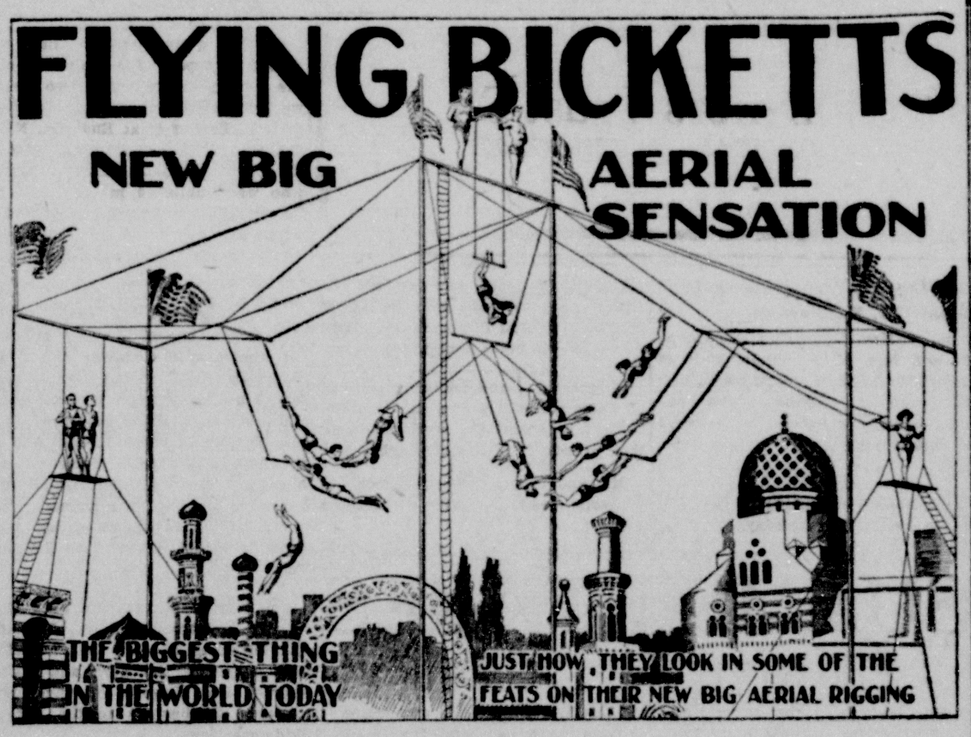
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Which is one of the greatest acts now on the road. Also the PARENTS the great Ladder and Table Act, a very neat Contortion Act, A Flying Trapese Act, Hand Balance Act and Tumbling Act.

*Also Blanche McKinney Hunter—*

With her 15 horses, her Chariot Races, High Jumping Horses, Educated Horses for the Night Show, also her High Diving Dog and Educated Dogs. No better act traveling on the road today

*WE ALSO HAVE IN CONNECTION WITH THAT—*

The Greatest Pacing Horse outside of Dan Patch on record today, The Horse's name, is Major L. The Guideless Wonder, which will pace around the track once daily at a record; breaking the state record without any driver. This horse will be decorated Patriotic style. Then there are Tennessee Jubilee Singers, Players and Performers, Also D'Arville Sisters, Dainty Songs and Dancers, the greatest singers in the world today.

*BESIDE THE ACTS—*

We have the Night Shows that will be given by these acts, the Horse Show, the Saddle Class by riding and driving. Also the exhibit of the stocks, parades after the awards have been given.

***Our entertainments will commence at 10 o'clock a. m. and will last until 10 o'clock p. m. Catalogs at Maco Print Shop if anybody wants one.***

**Nodaway County Fair and Agricultural Association**

*A. O. MASON, President and General Manager*

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## 92 MEN SELECTED

**THE BOARD SENT IN THAT MANY NAMES TO DISTRICT BOARD.**

## 30 CLAIMS NOT ALLOWED

**73 Claims Were Allowed by the Board —The List of Names Certified and Who Will Compose the Quota.**

The local exemption board announced yesterday the claims which were not allowed, the names of the men who were certified as no claims were filed, and the men who were exempted. This list of names was sent to the district board at Kansas City.

There were thirty claims not allowed by the board and seventy-three claims which were allowed. There were sixty-two men who were certified as filing no claim here.

The claims not allowed by the board were mostly from married men. Several claims are yet to be passed on.

The following are the names of the men:

**Claims Not Allowed.**

Edward Stephenson, Maryville.
Benjamin Franklin Wilson, Hopkins.
John Cecil Wilson, Maryville.
John Marion Worwag, Maryville.
Clarence Harvey Williams, Conception Junction.
Fred Webster, Burlington Junction.
Ernest Ulmer, Maryville.
Walter L. Patterson, Skidmore.
John Lawrence Nicholson, Hopkins.
John James McGarry, Conception Junction.
Ira J. McCollum, Maryville.
Henry R. Lee, Skidmore.
Waldo Turner Lawrence, Clearmont.
Chalmer Harrison Kling, Barnard.
Andrew Conrad Kimmett, Ravenwood.
Edward Samuel Harrison, Burlington Junction.
Edgar Griffith Hull, Maryville.
John Hansen, Barnard.
Walter G. Howard, Skidmore.
Hugh Ellis, Guilford.
Ernest Franklin Dale, Burlington Junction.
Charles Adolphus Cook, Hopkins.
Charles Wesley Cornell, Burlington Junction.
William Simus Crane, Quitman.
John Beal, Burlington Junction.
John Critten Broyles, Hopkins.
Ozero Edgar Bales, Maryville.
George Leonard Andrews, Hopkins.
Robert Clifford Powell, Maryville.
John Henry Dooley, Hopkins.

**Certified—No Claims.**

Joseph Mathew Archer, Conception Junction.
Thomas Hubert Archer, Conception Junction.
William Lorenzo Bagley, Maryville.
Earl M. Brittain, Guilford.
Claud Levera Bartles, Sheridan.
John H. Bannister, Guilford.
Otis Brown, Graham.
Arthur Baysinger, Ravenwood.
Fay Mills Corrough, Arkoe.
Fred Leslie Culver, Burlington Junction.
William Patrick Cummins, Burlington Junction.
Delma Ellsworth Carmichael, Pickering.
Ernest Richard Cox, Maryville.
Francis Michael Dillon, Graham.
Carl Dunn, Graham.
William J. Dempsey, Quitman.
Kenneth Ray Daniels, Maryville.
Alvin Marion Dunn, Barnard.
Franklin Pierce Elliott, Barnard.
Carl Fisher, Maryville.
Robert Clyde Felson, Hopkins.
Harry Floyd Fryar, Ravenwood.
James Russell Fisher, Maryville.
Arlo M. Gingrich, Maryville.
William Bernard Graham, Conception Junction.
Cecil Dellmar Hyde, Pickering.
John Peter Paul Henggeler, Maryville.
William Morgan Herren, Maryville.
Pearl Hewitt, Clearmont.
Samuel Hughes Hayworth, Graham.
Orlen Oliver Kelley, Pickering.
Floyd Andrew Kiser, Barnard.
Henry Chris Klaas, Parnell.
James William Keith, Maryville.
David Nicholas Lehmer, Jr., Maryville.
Claud Vault Linninger, Maryville.
Willie Riley Miller, Parnell.
Charles James Moffat, Clyde.
Alfred Clemence Meyer, Clyde.
Harry McIntire, Hopkins.
Frank Edgar McKee, Bolckow.
Ezra Clarkson McMullin, Ravenwood.
Robert Jacob Nigh, Parnell.
Thomas Ray O'Grady, Maryville.
Lawrence Olds, Graham.
Harry Melvin Piveral, Burlington Junction.
Alpha Lee Powell, Ravenwood.
Basil A. Rodman, Skidmore.
Leo John Roney, Maryville.
Roy John Schulte, Maryville.
Earl I. Swigart, Skidmore.
Louis Alexander Stelter, Clearmont.
David Martin Tucker, Burlington Junction
Jesse Tanner, Burlington Junction.
Charles Wassan Thompson, Barnard.
Clarence Edward Tibbetts, Elmo.
Thomas James Tobin, Maryville.
John Elvin Whitten Hopkins.
Lafe Dawson Watson, Clearmont.
William Roy Walkinshaw, Blanchard.
Roy Frank Wiseman, Burlington Junction.
Albert Henry Zaph, Maitland.

**Exempted.**

Duett F. Clement, Quitman.
Cecil Lerue Proctor, Hopkins.
Joseph C. Henggeler, Clyde.
Lloyd Clesson Forman, Hopkins.
Homer Hainline, Quitman.
Floyd Marion Ambrose, Barnard.
Thomas Albert Pankan, Sheridan.
George T. Houchens, Ravenwood.
Louie Fred Ennen, Elmo.
Edward Joseph Seipel, Maryville.
Bernard Ridder, Clyde.
James Ungles, Graham.
Edward Weaver Patton, Barnard.
Fred Davidson, Conception Junction.
Loren Ray Vogt, Conception Junction.
Clyde Middleton, Hopkins.
Daniel Benjamin Olgey, Hopkins.
James D. Morton, Parnell.
Ollie Raymond Majers, Maryville.
John Harry Yeates, Pickering.
Harold Taylor Hunt, Barnard.
Homer Edward Crain, Barnard.
Thomas Cleveland Hill, Maryville.
Jacob Austin Winemiller, Sheridan.
Forrest Davis, Elmo.
Frederick M. Barrett, Skidmore.
Otho Law Robey, Maryville.
Asa Edward Wagner, Pickering.
Robert Emerson Caudle, Burlington Junction.
Oscar Eugene Klaas, Clyde.
Otto Edgar Weir, Graham.
Frank B. Meyer, Parnell.
James Henry Drydale, Barnard.
Charles Walter Dougan, Barnard.
Harry Raymond Cowen, Sheridan.
Van Daren Stites, Parnell.
Bert Swearingen, Bedison.
Otis H. Anderson, Guilford.
Arch Davis Martin, Hopkins.
Lester Earl Lyle, Maryville.
Preston Valentine Hart, Conception Junction.
Robert Wilson Hilsabeck, Barnard.
Carl R. Weathermon, Guilford.

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## WHEAT MEETINGS

**A NUMBER TO BE HELD NEXT WEEK—CAMPAIGN FOR WHEAT.**

## FIRST ONE AT XENIA

**The Others at Harmony, Elmo, Skidmore, Guilford and Lasher— Speaker From State College.**

A series of meetings will be held in this county in the interest of more wheat production campaign, it was decided yesterday at a conference of several of the members of the county council of defense and the officers of the county farm board. T. J. Talbert of the State Agricultural College of Columbia was here yesterday and conferred with the members.

The meetings will be held next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. On Monday, a meeting will be held at Xenia school near Pickering at 2 o'clock. C. R. Harmon is in charge of this meeting. A night meeting will be given at the Harmony church with Rev. C. R. Green and Albert Dowden in charge.

On Tuesday, an afternoon meeting at 2 o'clock will be given at Elmo with C. R. Lamar in charge of arrangements. One will be held at Skidmore in the evening and James Strickler and J. F. Kellogg are in charge.

For Wednesday, the speakers will be at Lasher school house with Lawrence Gault in charge. The night meeting will be held at Guilford and Carl Wray and Ollie Davis will be in charge.

A representative from the State College and C. H. Belting of the State Normal School will attend the meetings and give any assistance they can to the farmers.

More wheat must be grown. It is estimated that the Missouri acreage must be increased 30 per cent this fall over the acreage sown last fall if the state furnishes its quota of wheat needed in the United States and Europe. Concerning the necessity of increasing production, J. C. Hackleman of the University of Missouri College of Agriculture and chairman of the seed stocks committee of the Missouri Council of Defense has given the following interview to the press:

"There can be no question but that we are now facing a serious shortage of food in the world's store house and we must prepare to export more wheat during the next year and a half than ever before in the history of the United States.

"Our exports of wheat in 1916 were not to exceed 25 per cent of our production. During 1917 we must export 40 per cent and if this war continues longer than the next year we may be compelled to exceed even that figure if we supply the food which our allies must have.

"Missouri has been asked in this great wheat stimulation program to increase the wheat acreage very materially over the acreage sown last fall The increase necessary is about 30 per cent over the area sown last fall, but considering the harvested acreage this summer it will be necessary to increase from 1,539,000 acres to 2,400,000 acres.

"This increase means an average of about ten acres per farm instead of approximately seven as has been grown. The farmer, therefore, who sowed 20 acres of wheat last fall will sow at least 27 this fall. The man who sowed 50 acres will sow 65 to 70.

"Were it not for the fact that the world is hungry and the fact that there is an actual scarcity in the visible bread stuffs supply of the world, the farmers might be facing a glutted market. The condition of the world's food store, however, guarantees a heavy demand for all food produced, and especially is this true of the wheat from which the soldiers' bread must come.

"There never was a time in the history of the state and nation when the prospects were better for the farmer to make excellent profits from his farming operations. This is particularly true of wheat and the farmer who increases his acreage by 30 per cent will not only be rendering a patriotic service but he will at the same time be taking advantage of a good business opportunity."

**Will Visit in Ft. Riley.**

Dr. and Mrs. K. C. Cummins, Mrs. Mike Lahr and Miss Nina Bent leave today in the Cummins car, for Fort Riley where they will visit with Eugene Cummins, and Raymond Lahr, who are in training there.

## TWELVE REJECTED

**ALL THE MEN APPEARING THIS MORNING DISQUALIFIED.**

## TO CALL 300 MORE MEN

**That Many Will be Summoned Probably Next Week to Fill County's Quota of 202.**

Twelve men appeared this morning for physical examination and all of them were rejected on account of physical defects. These men were examined last week but on account of changes made in the requirements it was necessary to call them back.

These men were: Ferdinand M. Townsend, Paul D. Skidmore, Lieber Holmes, James Lee Mozingo, Arthur Lloyd Strader, Charles Enert Schmitt, Charley Levi Ross, Harry D. Wells, Herschel Eugene Wiles, Anselm E. Schumacher, James Alva Heflin and Ernest F. Breit.

A call for more men, probably 300 of them or from numbers 425 to 725, will be issued by the board next week to secure the quota from this county. While the quota is 202 10 per cent additional is to be secured which will make about 225 men.

Ninety-two men have been certified and seventy-three have been exempted by the board to date. The re-examining of the 204 men commenced today and it is predicted that probably not over thirty of them will be accepted. Out of the 425 men called, probably not over 130 to 140 men will be secured.

The first consignment of bronze exemption buttons for issuance to men discharged either for physical cause or because they are supporting dependents was received today. The buttons are quite small and bear a shield in relief around which appears the words, "Exempt, U. S." The emblems will be distributed with great care, to make certain that they will not fall into improper hands.

Any of the men who are to be examined Monday can come tomorrow for the examination between the hours of 9 and 12.

## 31 WOMEN REGISTERED

**List of Women Who Signed Up At Burlington Junction — One Willing to go Anywhere Called.**

Thirty-one women registered at Burlington Junction last Saturday. The registration there was in charge of Mrs. Elmer Baker, Mrs. J. W. Praiswater and Miss Alice Peters. One signified her willingness to go anywhere she might be called. Three others were willing to go any place in the United States. The others are willing to do work at home. The following women registered:

Mrs. Harry Clark, Mrs. C. T. Ferguson, Miss Mary Dollison, Miss Nelle Harvey, Miss Elizabeth Nicholas, Miss Bernice Baker, Miss Audrey Carter, Miss Lucile Carter, Miss Marie Carter, Miss May Greenelsh, Miss May Mitchell, Mrs. Catherine Gebbeken, Mrs. L. E. Miller, Mrs. Elmer Baker, Mrs. Maggie Carter, Mrs. Lou Carter, Mrs. Mary Peters, Miss Alice Peters, Mrs. E. E. Alvis, Mrs. G. L. Yaple, Mrs. H. E. Oehler, Mrs. Jesse F. Robertson, Mrs. R. N. Barber, Mrs. R. D. Corken, Mrs. J. A. Barr, Mrs. William Guyette, Mrs. J. W. Smith, Mrs. Anna Smith, Mrs. Frank Miller, Mrs. Jonathan Graves, Miss Mabel Corken.

## 19 PICKERING WOMEN

**Registered Last Saturday—One Willing to Go Any Place and Several Any Place in the U. S.**

Among the Pickering women who registered to serve the United States during the war, one registered to go any place and several registered to go any place in the United States. Those who registered were: Mrs. C. A. Coleman, Golda Carmichael, Edith Crowson, Mrs. Damewood, Crystal Everhart, Josephine Fakes, Ruth Florea, Myrtle Harman, Mrs. G. B. McArthur, Mrs. O. G. Null, Eunice Otis, Elizabeth Swaney, Frances Smith, Mrs. Wilbur Smith, Jennie Ringgold, Gertrude Van Velson, Mary Wolfers, Mrs. C. A. Wolfers, and Myrtle Null.

**Buys Ranch in Wyoming.**

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lyle and son returned yesterday from a two week's trip through the West. Mr. Lyle is much pleased with that country and bought a ranch just north of Cheyenne, Wyo.

THE RIGHT HAND—AND THE LEFT.

—Harding in Brooklyn Eagle.

## URGES PEOPLE TO REPORT

**If They Have Proof and Witnesses Relative to Claims or Discharges— Statement By Sawyers.**

Prosecuting Attorney W. G. Sawyers, who has been appointed to look into all claims filed or discharges granted by the local exemption board, asks the people to report any case they think should be investigated with proof and witnesses. In a statement Mr. Sawyers says:

"The object of the Government is to allow no person who is liable for military service to avoid this duty by means of false claims or mistaken examinations.

"As the appointed representative of the Provost Marshal General, I am admonished to look into all claims filed, or discharges granted.

"It is the privilege of any person and I might say duty, and I invite any one who has reason to believe that any particular case should be investigated, to report it to me, furnishing the proof or witnesses who may have knowledge of facts which should be placed before the Government; if such information is not given, it is possible that some one may avoid rendering a service they owe their country, and shift the burden on another.

"The finding of the local Board on dependent claims filed is made public today. I hope each person in the county will examine it carefully, and report all cases, as above requested."

## SUES TO SET ASIDE WILL

**Sibbie Garrard Brings Action to Break the Will of Her Brother, Henry A. Smith.**

Suit to set aside a will was filed today by W. C. Ellison, Walter Garrard and Sibbie Garrard against Joseph J. Enis, Conception Abbey, St. Benedict's Church of Clyde, Father Frowin Merrigan, the Immaculate Conception Church of Conception, and Father Placidus Schmid.

The petition states Henry A. Smith died July 8, 1917, and left an instrument purporting to be a will. The deceased was a brother of Sibbie Garrard, who is his sole surviving heir.

The following were the bequests of the will: $1,000 to Immaculate Conception Church; $1,000 to St. Benedict's Church at Clyde; about $1,000 to Joseph J. Enis, a friend of the deceased; and 100 acres to Sibbie Garrard.

The petition states that at the time of making the instrument, Henry Smith was not sufficiently sound in mind to know what he was doing and that influence was used. The will was written June 4, 1917.

**Ellisons on Motor Trip.**

Judge and Mrs W. C. Ellison, Mrs. Ike T. Pryor and George Robb Ellison left today on a few days' motor trip to Keokuk, Ia., and Canton, Mo. The latter place was formerly the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellison.

Miss Mary Margaret Richey returned last night from a two week's visit with relatives in Tarkio.

## FIVE SHIPS ARE BLOWN UP

**Three of Them are American Boats— Caused by Time Bombs Placed Aboard by Germans.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Pacific Port, Aug. 17.—Five ships, three American, one Japanese and one British are believer by mariners today to have been blown up while at sea by time bombs placed aboard by German agents. The story of a sailor finding bottles of acid placed near the powder cases so that if broken the powder would explode on board ship strengthened this belief. The schooners Betauga and Winslow, and the sailing ship R. C Slade flew the stars and stripes. The other two ships overdue are the British freighter, Wairuna, and the Japanese freighter, Kotohira.

## FEDS TO DEFEND TITLE

**Will Play Kegan Bros. Sunday — Summa and Richardson to Appear in Line-Up.**

The Maryville Feds, now champions of Northwest Missouri and Southwest Iowa, by virtue of their defeat of the Shenandoah Red Sox in their last game, will defend their new title next Sunday against the Kegan Bros. team of St. Joseph, one of the fastest clubs on the road.

Besides the strong line-up presented by the Feds in last Sunday's game, Richardson, the popular catcher of last year's team, and Summa, one of the best ball players in this section will appear against the Kegans.

Harry Scott is trying to give Maryville fans some good baseball this summer and a large crowd is expected to turn out and show their appreciation of his efforts. The game with the Kegans is sure to be one of the best of the season.

## MANY AT PARNELL PICNIC

**Charles F. McCaffrey the Speaker Today — Judge Dawson to Speak Tomorrow.**

Several hundred persons attended the first day of Parnell's annual three day picnic. Robert Curry of Parnell was the principal speaker yesterday afternoon and Charles McCaffrey of Maryville, will be this afternoon's speaker.

A number of free attractions are furnished each day and this afternoon egg races and foot races will be a part of the program. The Rosendale band and the Leonard Players are furnishing music each day.

Judge John M. Dawson of Maryville will talk at the picnic tomorrow afternoon.

## A DESPERATE FIGHT

**GERMANS LAUNCHED TWO ASSAULTS AGAINST CANADIANS.**

## ALLIES ADVANCE A MILE

**British-French Forces Held All the Important Positions They Had Won in Belgium.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, Aug. 17.—Battles raged all along the British front during the night, while soldiers were surging over the blood-soaked soil in West Flanders. Germans north of Lens are making a desperate effort to relieve pressure in the Lens sector. In France two heavy assaults were launched against trenches won by the Canadians and temporary success gained, but the war office announced today the British later re-took all the ground they had lost.

**Allies Advance A Mile.**

London, Aug. 17.—The first day's fighting in the new Anglo-French drive in Belgium along a ten-mile front has pressed back the German lines at some points more than a mile. The Germans struck back furiously and violent fighting was in progress all night but the British-French forces held all the important positions they had won.

**French Troops In Roumania.**

Geneva, Aug. 17.—French troops are fighting with the Russians and Rumanians on the Moldavian front, according to Berlin advices. An earlier report said that British artillery men were assisting the Russo-Rumanian forces.

**Germans Set Fire to St. Quentin.**

Paris, Aug. 17.—The Germans holding St. Quentin have set fire to the cathedral which has now been burning for hours, the war office reports. It dates back to the twelfth century.

## MANY ENLISTED SINCE JUNE 5

**Board Received Names of Men Registered Here and Have Since Joined the Service.**

The local exemption board received today the list of men who have enlisted since they registered here June 5, from the Adjutant General in Jefferson City. Whether this will cut down the county's quota was not known or stated in the letter.

The following are the men enlisted: M Gordon Neale, second lieutenant officers' reserve corps at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y.; Forrest June Weddle, navy; Emmett Russell Littler, navy; Francis Marion Jenkins, navy; Thomas E. Fleming, navy; Charles H. McReynolds, navy; Robert S. Edminston, Co. A., Tarkio; Glenn A. Clark, Co. A, Tarkio; Charles B. Ellis, Jr., signal corps; William Everett Allman, navy; Chauncey Melvin Saville, navy; J. C. Robinson, Co. A, Tarkio; Eugene Joseph Cummins, medical department; Port A. Evans, medical department; Berthold Blatter, Co. A, Tarkio; Harry A. Bailey, signal corps; Raymond Anthony Lahr, medical department; John Jacob Ashford, infantry; Frank Blair Auten, medical department; Robert Harold Groppe, signal corps; James Henry Martindale, medical department; James Grover Hostetter, infantry.

**Much Discussion on Revenue Bill.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 17.—With taxes aggregating $400,000,000 already agreed to, the revenue bill today began to strike snags. Leaders still hold to their prediction that the bill will be passed before the end of the week, but so much discussion is likely to develop over the income tax and the war profits law that a vote on the measure before September first seems improbable.

**THE WEATHER**

Generally fair tonight and Saturday; not much change in temperature.


Electric Theatre
*To-Night*
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Tyronne Powers, in
Sweet Alyssum
A story that is dear to the hearts of the people.
Tomorrow— "In Mizzoura," comedy.

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Kegan Bros. vs. Maryville
Admission 25c. Ladies Free. Grandstand 10c to all.
Kegan Bros. have one of the fastest clubs on the road. Summa and Richardson will appear in Maryville lineup, so the game of the season is assured.

Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
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ART DRAMA CO., WITH
JEAN SOTHERN
THE CAPABLE YOUNG ACTRESS
'The Cloud'
A STORY OF A GIRL'S SACRIFICE FOR HER MOTHER.
Tomorrow—"HOUSE OF CARDS."

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Miss Mary Barrett returned to her home in Skidmore this morning after a few days' visit with her brother Elwood Barrett and family on North Fillmore street.


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## *Official Text of Pope's Peace Plea*

"To the leaders of the belligerent peoples:

"Since the beginning of our pontificate, the horrors of a terrible war let loose on Europe, we have in view above everything three things to preserve: Perfect impartiality towards all belligerents as is suitable for Him, who is the common Father and who loves all His children with equal affection. Continually to attempt to do all the good possible and that without exception of persons, without distinction of nationality or religion as is dedicated to us by the universal law of charity which the supreme spiritual charge has confided to us with Christ. Finally our pacific mission also required to omit nothing, as long as it was in our power, which might contribute to hasten the end of this calamity by trying to lead people and their leaders to more moderate resolution to hasten a serene deliberation of peace just and durable.

**Faithfully Impartial.**

"Whoever has followed our work during these three painful years which have just passed has been able easily to recognize that if we have always remained faithful to our resolve of absolute impartiality and our attitude of benevolence, we have not ceased to exhort the peoples and the belligerent brothers again to become brethren, although publicity has not been given to all that we have done to attain this very noble aim.

"Towards the end of the first year of the war we addressed to the nations in conflict most lively exhortations, and more, we indicated the part to be followed to arrive at a stable and honorable peace for all. Unfortunately our appeal was not heard, and the war continued desperately for another two years with all its horrors. It became even more cruel and extended over the earth, over the seas and in the air; one saw desolation and death descend upon the cities without defense, upon peaceful villages and on their innocent population; and now no one can imagine how the sufferings of all would be increased and aggravated if other months, or, worse still, other years are about to be added to this sanguinary triennium.

**Moral Force of Right.**

"First of all, the fundamental points must be that the material force of arms be substituted by the moral force of right from which shall arise a fair agreement for all for the simultaneous, and reciprocal diminution of armaments according to the rules and guarantees to be established in a measure necessary and sufficient for the maintenance of public order in each state. Then in the substitution for armies, the institution of arbitration with its high pacifying function, according to the rules to be laid down and the penalties to be imposed on a state which would refuse either to submit a national question to arbitration or to accept its decision.

**Horror of Future.**

"Is this civilized world to be nothing more than a field of death? And Europe so glorious and so flourishing is it going as if stricken by a universal madness to run to the abyss and to lend its hand to its own suicide.

"In such a terrible situation as in the presence of menace so serious, we who have no particular aim, who do not listen to suggestions or to the interests of any of the belligerent parties, are solely compelled by a sentiment of our supreme duty as the common father of the faithful, by the solicitation of our children who implore our intervention and our pacifying work.

"Through the voice even of humanity and of reason we once more emit the cry of peace, and we renew a pressing appeal to those who hold in their hands the destinies of nations. But in order no longer to speak in general terms as the circumstances had counselled us in the past, we now wish to make a more concrete and practical proposal, and to invite the governments of the belligerent peoples to come to an agreement upon the following points which seem to be a basis of a just and durable peace, leaving to them the task of analyzing and completing them.

"Once the supremacy of right has thus been established all obstacles to the means of communication of the peoples would disappear by assuring, by rules to be fixed later, the true liberty and community of the seas, which would continue to end the numerous causes of conflict and would also open to all new sources of prosperity and progress.

"As to the damages to be repaired and as to the war expenses, we see no other means of solving the question than by submitting as a general principle the complete and reciprocal condonation which would be justified moreover by the immense benefit to be derived from disarmament so much so that no one will understand the continuation of a similar carnage solely for reasons of an economic order.

**Reciprocal Restitution.**

"If for certain cases there exist particular reasons they would be deliberated upon with justice and equity, but these pacific agreements, with the immense advantages to be derived from them, are not possible without a reciprocal restitution of the territory at present occupied.

"Consequently on the part of Germany the complete evacuation of Belgium with the guarantee of her full political, military and economic independence toward it.

"The evacuation of French territory. On the part of other belligerent parties similar restitution of the German colonies.

"As regards the territorial questions, as for example those which have arisen between Italy and Austria and between Germany and France there is reason to hope that in consideration of the immense advantages of a durable peace with disarmament the parties in conflict would wish to examine them with a conciliatory disposition, taking into consideration as we have said formerly, the aspirations of the peoples and the special interests and the general welfare of the great human society.

**Balkan Question.**

"The same spirit of equity and justice ought to be followed in the examination of other territorial and questions, notably those relative to Armenian and the Balkan states and territories making a part of the ancient kingdom of Poland whose noble and historical traditions and sufferings which it has endured especially during the present war ought to conciliate the sympathies of nations.

"Such are the principal basis whereupon we believe the future reorganization of the peoples ought to be built. They are of a nature to render impossible the return of similar conflicts and to prepare a solution of the economic question so important for the future and for the material well-being of all belligerent states.

"Therefore, in presenting to you, who direct at this hour the destinies of the belligerent nations, we are animated to see them accept and to see thus the conclusion at an early date of the terrible struggle which more and more appears a useless massacre.

**Honor of Both Safe.**

"The whole world recognizes that the honor of the armies of both sides is safe. Incline your ears therefore, to our prayer. Accept the fraternal invitation which we send you in the name of the divine redeemer, the prince of peace. Reflect on your very grave responsibility before God and before man.

"On your decision depend repose and the joy of innumerable families; the life of thousands of young people; in a word, the happiness of a people for whom it is your absolute duty to obtain their welfare.

"May the Lord inspire your decision in conformity to His very holy will. May God grant that while meriting the applause of your contemporaries you will also obtain in the future generations a splendid name of pacificators.

"As for us closely united in prayer and in penitence with all those faithful souls which sigh for peace we implore for you the light and counsel of the divine spirit.

(Signed) "BENEDICT."

"At the Vatican, Aug. 1."


## Nature Needs Assistance In Keeping You Well

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| Franklin County, Illinois, Lump, Egg or Nut, per ton | $7.50 |
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| Centerville, Iowa, Lump | 5.50 |
| Fancy Lump, Huntsville, Mo. | 5.25 |
| Wyoming Lump | $8.75 |

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| Hard Wood, cord length, per cord | $6.00 |
| Hard Wood, sawed, per cord | 7.00 |

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## CAPT. COLBERT HOME.

**On A Visit to His Parents—Will Report Aug. 27 at Rockford, Ill.**

Captain Herschel Colbert arrived in Maryville last evening for a visit with his parents, Dean and Mrs. George H. Colbert. Mr. Colbert was recently commissioned a captain of the officers reserve corps at Fort Sheridan, Ill. Capt. Colbert was assigned to Rockford, Ill., and is to report for duty Aug. 27.


# Blankets and FURS

The greatest Blanket and Fur Sale we ever held is now on. Be sure and take advantage of this offer tomorrow.

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**Back From Western Trip.**

George Pat Wright returned yesterday from a several week's trip to Great Falls, Mont., Glacier Park, Denver and other western points.

**Here Visiting Her Parents.**

Mrs. W. L. Rugg arrived in Maryville last night for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hull. Mr. Rugg will come next Wednesday. During the summer they have been at a number of places in the East. Mr. Rugg is with the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.

**Joe Carden to the Navy.**

Joe Carden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Carden, received notification yesterday to report at Kansas City for service in the navy.

Oats on the A. L. Oakerson farm, west of Maryville averaged sixty bushels an acre. Twenty acres of wheat on this farm made twenty bushels to the acre.

Russell Forest of Newton, Ia., enlisted here today with the Signal Corps and will leave tomorrow morning for Jefferson Barracks.

Mrs. Ed Simmons and Mrs. Dale Simmons of Parnell were shopping in Maryville yesterday.

Judge and Mrs. Jesse Robertson of Burlington Junction, have taken rooms at the W. A. Miller home on South Main street, and will come to Maryville, September 1, to make their home.

Mrs. Katherine Wood, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Turner, of Red Oak, Ia., returned this morning to her home in Maryville. She was accompanied home by her two grandsons, Lee and Earl Sattro, who will visit for a few days in Maryville.

**Funeral Held This Morning.**

The body of Mrs. Carl Hammert, daughter of Mr and Mrs. G. F. Lawson, who died at her home in Oklahoma, arrived in Ravenwood yesterday, and funeral services were held at 11 o'clock this morning at the Methodist church, conducted by the Rev. R. C. Holliday. Burial will be in the Oak Lawn cemetery.

Miss Agatha Kroetch and Miss Lucy Sturm returned today from a six week's visit in South Dakota with relatives and friends. While they were gone they spent four weeks in the Black Hills.

The women of St. Mary's Catholic church will hold a social Monday night August 20, in the church parlors. Refreshments will be served. Everyone is invited to come.


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Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Brumbaugh of Kansas City, Kan., are guests at the home of Mrs. Brumbaugh's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Shupe, west of Maryville. On their return home their little daughter, Florence, who has been visiting for several weeks with her grandparents, will return with them.

R. A. Noakes of Burlington Junction was in Maryville yesterday.

Fred Vandersloot, who has been visiting for several days with his father, A. Vandersloot of Plainview, Tex., will return to his home tonight.

Misses Ruth and Lillian McDowell of Skidmore will arrive in Maryville tonight to spend the week-end with their cousin, Miss Beulah Bagby.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Leech of Pickering are in Maryville on business today.


# SUMMER FARES

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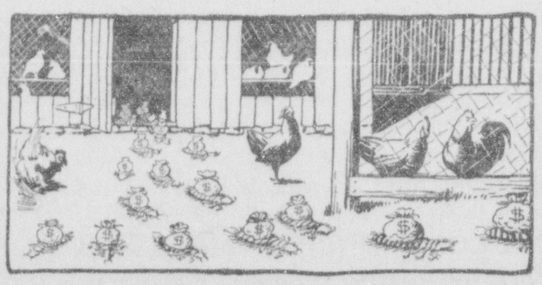

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### P. O. AT CAMP CLARK NOW.

**Persons Who Send Mail to Troopers Should Exercise Care.**

The postoffice authorities here today received notice that an independent postoffice has been established at Camp Clark, the state mobilization camp near Nevada, and instructions have been received regarding mail for the troops there.

Care should be taken to properly address letters, the department points out, as more than 12,000 troops, twice the number there last summer preceding the movement to the border, will be stationed at the camp during the training period. These branches are represented and letters should be addressed in care of one of the units to which the person addressed is attached: Infantry, cavalry, field hospital, motor supply train, ambulance department, signal corps, field artillery, engineers corps. Following is a sample address.

Private John H. Smith,
Company M. Fourth Infantry Reg.,
Missouri National Guard,
Camp Clark, Nevada, Mo.

**Wilson Nicholas Here.**

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Nicholas and little daughter, and Miss Audrey Leonhardt of Osceola, Mo., are visiting relatives in Burlington Junction and vicinity this week. They drove through to Maryville last week and will return there today for a visit with Wilson's parents, Mr and Mrs. Miles Nicholas, before going home. Wilson is farming in partnership with his uncle, A. C. Nicholas, on a 400-acre farm near Osceola. They have a small herd of registered Angus cattle and are having good success with them. Land in that country sells from $30 to $75 an acre, and Wilson says it will produce about half what Nodaway county land will. So it's about an even break.—Burlington Junction Post.

**Two Didn't Report.**

Of the quite lengthy list that "failed to report" for examination to the county board, only two names were given from Burlington Junction. Jack E. Barker is at Enderlin, N. D., having sent his registration card to this place. Benjamin Ernest Gossard, who was published in the list as "whereabouts unknown," enlisted two weeks ago in the Tarkio company of the Fourth regiment.—Burlington Junction Post.

**Big Price for Corn.**

H. Logan, one of the most successful stockmen in Nodaway and Green townships, received the highest price for corn Friday when he sold about 900 bushels to H. C. Bailey of Quitman for $2.20 a bushel, delivered on the track at Quitman. Some increase over the price when Mr. Logan first began farming in this country, corn at that time being worth about 13 cents a bushel.—Burlington Junction Post.

Small grain is making a good yield in this neighborhood. A. J. Wells had 20 acres of oats that averaged 55 bushels to the acre and Harry Mitchell had 25 acres of wheat that averaged 26 bushels to the acre.—Skidmore News.

Misses Dorothy Pierce and Hildred Hanna, and Mrs. Ed Signs, who have been spending a few days in St. Joseph, returned last night in the Pierce car, to Maryville. Mrs. W. C. Pierce and Mrs. O. C. Hanna, who were also in St. Joseph returned Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. James Faris left this morning for St. Joseph where they will make their home for the winter. Mr. Faris has a position as teacher in the St. Joseph schools.

Mrs. Emogene Moorhead of Skidmore is visiting in Maryville with her niece, Mrs. Ellwood Barrett and family.

Mrs. T. L. Wilderman left this morning for a two months' stay in Denver. She will stop in Steele City, Neb., for a visit with Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Taylor

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Wallace of Creston, Ia., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. A. Edwards today.

Mrs. Mary Speck left this week for points in Tennessee, where she will visit with relatives.

Marcus T. Nielsen left this morning for Red Oak, Ia., where he will visit for a few days with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Brice Hall and family drove to Savannah today to visit relatives.

Mrs. E. L. Townsend and Mrs. F. M. Townsend were St. Joseph visitors today.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Chris Cummins and daughter, went to Stanberry today.

Clarence Merrigan of Clyde is in Maryville on business today.

T. A. Cummins returned yesterday from a trip to Canada.

## *Society and Clubland*

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**W. R. C. To Meet.**

The W. R. C. will hold their regular meeting Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. A full attendance is urgently requested.

**Meeting Postponed.**

The meeting of the Woman's Catholic Order of Forresters which was to have been held Saturday afternoon, has been postponed until 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, August 25.

**Entertain Minister and Guests.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Knabb entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday at their home northwest of Maryville. Their guests were: Rev. and Mrs. Claude Ragsdale of Elmo and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Ragsdale and son, Ray, and daughter, Estelle, of Washington, Ind.

**For St. Joseph Guests.**

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ulmer entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Thursday in honor of Mrs. Charley Thorp and daughter, Miss Edna Thorp of St. Joseph. Covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ulmer, Mrs. Charley Thorp, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Edwards, Miss Edna Thorp, Forrest, Pauline and Leota Edwards and the host and hostess.

**Mrs. McMillen, Hostess.**

The Pickering Needlework club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. G. McMillen. The afternoon was spent socially. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Those present were: Mrs. Ed Herbert, Mrs. Wilbur Smith, Mrs. Jacob Wiley, Mrs. E. L. Crowson and her guest, Mrs. Mary Bristow, Mrs. Gordon Swinford, Miss Mary Wolfers, Mrs. Harry Yates, Mrs. Walter Johnson and Mrs. Marvin Hall.

**New Club Formed.**

A Crochet Club, which will be known as the C. C. Club has been formed by a number of young ladies in Maryville. The first meeting was held last Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Hattie Culver, 222 West Ninth street. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. Those present were: Misses Verla Gatton, Mary Gross, Hazel Frede, Evelyn Moore and Viola Gatton. The next meeting will be held with Miss Hazel Frede.

**Celebrate Birthday and Wedding Anniversary.**

Mrs. Robert Craven and Mrs. Anna Stauble were hostesses at a 12 o'clock dinner, given yesterday at their home on West Second street, in honor of Mr. Craven's birthday anniversary, and also in honor of the sixth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Steiger of Ravenwood. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Seafers, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Welborn, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Gooden and son, Forrest, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Steiger of Ravenwood.

**I. I. Club Met Wednesday.**

The I. I. Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Brice Hall. The regular business session was held after which watermelon was served by the hostess. The members were: Mrs. John Halasey, Mrs. Joe Cockayne and baby, Mrs. Lon Hughes, Mrs. Claude Shell, Mrs. Maurice Brennen, Mrs. Andrew Fink, Mrs. Ida Duncan, Miss Lyda Onstott, Miss Nellie Halasey, Miss Irene Babb, Miss Jennie Duncan. The visitors were: Mrs. J. M. Hughes, Mrs. Joe Wilson of Sheridan, Wyo., Mrs. R. L. McGinness and twin daughters, Mrs. John Dooley and daughter, Mildred, Pearl, Booth, Reah Shell, Lora Willhoyte, Robert Hughes and Ella Marjorie Shell.

**Entertained the H. K. G. Club.**

Mrs. Roy Killam entertained the members of the H. K. G. club Friday afternoon, August 10. The meeting was opened by Bible quotations after which Mrs. William Berkey and Mrs. Charles Florea sang a duet. After the business meeting a dainty lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Everett Florea, Addie Killam and Mary Leech. The members present were: Mrs. William Berkey, Mrs. Will Hantz, Mrs. Ernest Wray, Mrs. Ira Kelly, Mrs. Carrie Leech, Mrs. Will Shelman, Mrs. Louis Pistole, Mrs. Charles Florea, Mrs. Lon Leech, Miss Addie Killam, Mrs. Everett Florea. The visitors present were: Misses Mary Leech, Vernie Pistole, Iva Wray, Pauline Killam, Harold Leech and Noble Florea. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Charles Killam, Friday afternoon, August 24.


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**Entertain for Kansas Visitor.**

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cook were host and hostess at a 12 o'clock dinner given today at their home on South Main street, complimentary to Mrs. Isaac Martin of Pittsburg, Kan., who is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Garrett, and son, Carl, laid for: Mrs. Isaac Martin, Mr. and Mrs. eGorge Garrett and son, Carl, Misses Elizabeth, Margaret and Marie Cook, Frank Cook and the host and hostess.

**The Lend-A-Hand Circle.**

The Lend-A-Hand circle met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Bessie King. The members present were: Mrs. Alice Broyles, Mrs. Maggie Slawson, Mrs. Mary Kost Riffle, and Misses Mable Riffle and Katheryn Broyles. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hill were guests of the club.

Individual work in Red Cross lines as well as surgical dressings were discussed, and members who are unable to work away from home, expressed their willingness to furnish materials for hospital supplies. The social hour was very pleasantly spent, and light refreshments were served by the hostess. The free will offering amounted to 65 cents. Mrs. Maggie Slawson will entertain the club at the next meeting, which will be Wednesday, September 19.

Mrs. Grace Fogan and Miss Besse Knox will leave Monday morning for Greeley, Colorado Springs and Denver, Colo., where they will spend their vacation visiting friends and relatives They will also stop at Fort Riley, Kan. where they will visit the Maryville boys that are in training there.

Miss Georgia Hull of Plattsmouth, Neb., arrived in Maryville last night to visit for a few days with her uncle, Fred Hull, and her aunt, Miss Emma Hull.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burch of Clearmont, George Westfall of Burlington Junction and James Westfall of Swink, Colo., were city visitors today.

**New Manager of Lincoln Co., Here.**

H. G. Jenks of Lincoln, Neb., arrived in Maryville last night, to take charge of the Lincoln Company Five and Ten Cent store. Mr. Jenks will take the place of Joseph C. Lee, who has resigned his position with that company and who will report soon for the second officers' reserve camp at Fort Sheridan, Ill. Mr. Jenks was with the Du Pont Powder Company in Lincoln, and prior to that had charge of a Lincoln store in Illinois.

**NOTICE.**

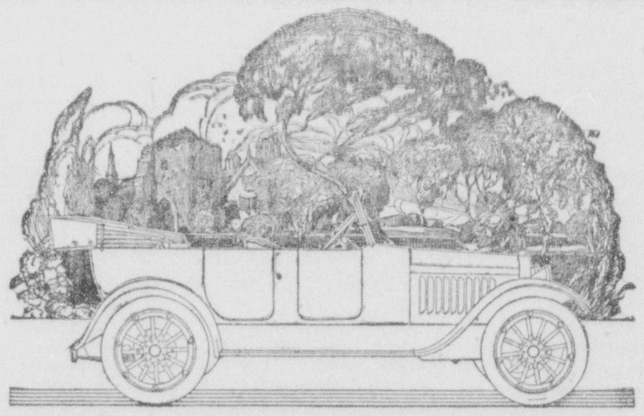
Have your feet treated. Dr. Tandy is at the Balnum Hotel. Will make residence calls. Phone Hanamo 172. 6tf.

Miss Lois Johnson, of Fulton, Mo., who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson of Pickering, is now the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. T. Gray of Maryville.


We are now connected with the SEWELL GARAGE where you will find us prepared to take care of all kinds of repair work.

IRBY & WHITNEY





## THRIFTY AND BEAUTIFUL—WHERE CAN YOU MATCH ONE OF THESE TEN AUTUMN CHALMERS

They are all from thirty to ninety days ahead of the time, for they are the advanced autumn and winter styles.
So, in buying a car now you will find that the newest devices, the latest improvements and the most recent developments in motor car building are right here in a Chalmers.
And there are ten of these Chalmers. You will find among them a full range of types from an eighty mile an hour (guaranteed) speedster to a sedate limousine, or a sensible, thrifty touring car to a decidedly smart town car, etc., etc.
They are without a question the best looking cars that Chalmers ever built. But more important they are the most thrifty cars that Chalmers ever built.
Picture all the car you want, all the room you can use, all the speed you ever dare use, all the power you can ever wish for, all the "hang to the road" quality you could desire.
And then bear in mind that these Chalmers are not large cars but light cars, that they have less than a thirty horse power engine (which means much every time you fill the gas tank) that a new tire does not cost a small fortune and that one tire lasts many and many a day.
Good points to stick in your mind and pleasing to ponder over after you have once seen how striking in beauty the ten new Chalmers really are.
See them at once. You can buy now and save.

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| TOURING CAR, 5-PASSENGER | $1250 | TOWN CAR, 7-PASSENGER | $2925 |
| TOURING CAR, 7-PASSENGER | $1350 | TOWN CAR, LANDAULET | $3025 |
| STANDARD ROADSTER | $1250 | LIMOUSINE, 7-PASSENGER | $2925 |
| TOURING SEDAN | $1850 | LIMOUSINE LANDAULET | $3025 |
| CABRIOLET, 3-PASSENGER | $1625 | RECORD SPEEDSTER | $2500 |
| DUPLEX, 4-PASSENGER | $1475 | | |

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**W. W. JONES & CO.**
**Maryville, Missouri**

# RESULTS

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RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions, 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by 12 o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want adz when cash does not accompany the order.

## MISCELLANEOUS

STRAYED—Dark bay mule. Owner may have by paying for pasture and adv. C. L. Evans, Farmers 4-13. 15-17*

TAKEN UP—Strayed sow, since August 2, weight about 325 pounds. W. Miller on Joe Thompson place, 7 miles northwest of Barnard. 16-18*

LOST — On the Normal grounds, watch case with initials N. R. Finder leave at this office. 15-17*

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing; estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Han. 46.

## WANTED

JUNK—I will pay the highest prices for all kinds of junk, also all junk automobiles. Calls promptly attended to. Maryville Iron & Metal Co., Hanamo 116, Farmers 176. 13-22*

WANTED—Salesmen, of good character and reputation, acquainted with the best farmers. Call for Mr. Arnold, Linville Hotel. 17-20

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good as new 2-room house, to be removed from premises. Chas. Hyslop. 24tf

FOR SALE—Sow and eight pigs. 1913 East 5th St., Hanamo 6441. 13tf

FOR SALE—Good laundry stove at a bargain. Call at Holt property between Sixth and Seventh streets on N. Fillmore. Ellwood Barrett X

FOR SALE—75 feet iron railing and posts and 100 feet stone base for same. 219 West Second St., Han. 729. 10-tf

HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT — 6 large rooms; empty Sept. 1. Choice building lots for sale. See J. T. Hays, Hanamo 575. 2tf

FOR SALE—4 second hand organs and music box, low price. 816 South Buchanan. Hanamo 203. 15-17

FOR SALE—Cream separator, good as new. Call Bob McLarnon on Guy Gray farm, 2½ miles east of Maryville. 17-20*

FARM FOR SALE—We have listed for immediate sale, 100 acres; very desirable home. Owner lives in another state and wishes to sell at once. This farm is located 5 miles of a good shipping point in this county, has house of 9 rooms, barn 32x40, wagon shed, hen house, cement cave, milk house, cement walks, coal house, 2 wells, cistern, family orchard, 20 acres hog-tight, some steel posts, school and church at farm. Owner wants cash all but $7,000, will carry back balance at 6 per cent. This is what you want, get the price of Holmes & Wolfert. Also have 80 acres, 3 miles of good shipping point, good improvements; owner will take down $1,500, balance at 6 per cent long time. Get busy and quit paying rent.—Holmes & Wolfert. 17-23

### HAWK FUNERAL TODAY.

**The Services Were Largely Attended At Ravenwood.**

Funeral services for Oscar G. Hawk who committed suicide by shooting himself, at his home near Ravenwood Tuesday evening, were held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Methodist church, the Rev. A. R. Hunt of Savannah officiating. Burial was in the Oak Lawn cemetery.

**Overmier Funeral Held.**

Services for Noah Overmier, who died Wednesday evening, were held at the residence on East Fourth street this afternoon, conducted by the Rev. R. C. Holliday. Burial took place at the Miriam cemetery and the services at the grave were in charge of the Odd Fellows lodge. The pall bearers were: Frank Orcutt, Noah Sipes, Howard Whaley, W. C. Irwin, J. S. Pfeiffer and F. M. Manley.

A quartet composed of Mrs. L. P. Colvin, Mrs. N. F. Humber, W. E. Goforth and R. C. Seals, gave a number of selections.

Miss Jennie Garrett returned today to her home in Maryville after a several week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Harry Foster of Des Moines, Ia. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Foster, who will visit with relatives in Maryville.

**A Good Band Concert.**

The band concert by the newly organized band was given last evening and was much appreciated by the large crowd present. The community singing was also good and the numbers sung were "Old Black Joe," "The Old Oaken Bucket," and "The Star Spangled Banner."

**Buys Property.**

Omer Catterson has purchased the Hannah Ricketts property of two lots and a residence on North Mulberry street. The consideration was $3,000.

Mr. and Mrs. James Claude Baird and little daughter, have returned to their home in Chicago, after a several week's visit with Mrs. Baird's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Bent.


## 17th Year Here

RELIABILITY

**Dr. Prettyman**

Has Come to Maryville Every Four Weeks for 13 Years And Has Done Good Conscientious Work.

Free Consultation and Examination

Linville Hotel, Maryville, Mo.
WEDNESDAY, AUG. 22, 1917
9:00 a. m. to 8:00 p. m.

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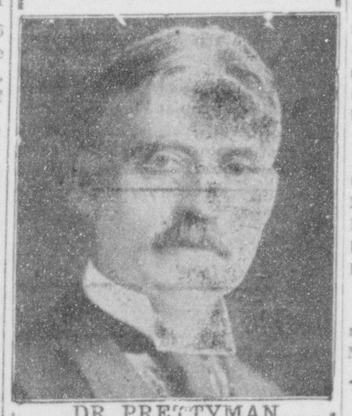

DR. PRETTYMAN

Is a graduate of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York City, one of the best Medical Schools in the United States. He has had years of experience in the great hospitals and twenty years special practice. He points with pride to his many cures in Maryville and vicinity.

He Treats

**Acute and chronic Catarrh, Ringing in the Ears, Deafness, Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat, Lungs, Stomach, Heart, Liver, Kidneys, Bowels, and Bladder.**

Nervous Diseases

**Neuritis, Nervous Prostration, Neuralgia, Epilepsy ( Fits ), Rheumatism, given special attention.**

Those

Suffering from Nervousness, Dizziness, Confusion of Ideas, Aversion to Society, Defective Memory, Nervous Debility, Sleepliness, Weakness and Exhaustion treated by the latest and best methods.

Blood and Skin Diseases

Acne, Eczema, Psoriasis, Scrofula and all other Blood and Skin Diseases treated.

Diseases of Women

Treated in the most satisfactory manner. Our home treatment is pleasant to use and gives good results.

The doctor carries all his portable instruments, and comes prepared to examine the most obscure medical and surgical cases. Correspondence solicited.

Address

**DR. PRETTYMAN**
1262 Elmdale Ave.
CHICAGO, ILL.


### LATE TELEGRAPH NEWS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Aug. 17.—After eight days without service the street car strike was settled yesterday and full service resumed.

Oklahoma City, Aug. 17.—Gus Anthony, alleged "bootlegger" died this morning of wounds received in a fight with officers near here last night. Another "whiskey runner" believed either killed or fatally wounded. One officer shot through both arms. Men are said to be returning from Wichita Falls, Tex., with a load of booze.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—Three policemen were injured, one fatally when an automobile in which they were chasing bandits collided with another.

**Potatoes at 60c a Bushel.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—Potatoes at sixty cents and possibly fifty cents a bushel within two months is the prediction of Orrin K. Earle, head of one of Chicago's biggest potato concerns. The drop may come within thirty days, he says. This year's crop is a hundred per cent larger than last year's.

**Will Go To France Soon.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Official confirmation of reports that troops of New England national guard will go to France with or preceding "rainbow division," was issued at the war department today.

**Commission Discusses Coal Situation.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Federal trade commission went into secret session today to discuss the coal situation. It is intimated the commission will work harmoniously with the governors of the thirteen states.

**Hogs to $18,60 at Chicago.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Chicago, Aug. 17. — While hogs jumped to a top price of $18.60, cattle dropped to $15.00. Sheep are selling twenty cents lower than at the close of yesterday's market.

**Hogs $18.85 in East St. Louis.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

East St. Louis, Aug. 17.—Hogs went to $18.85, the highest in the history of the country.

**Wilcox Revival.**

Tonight the services will be in honor of "Mother." To each mother a small flag will be presented at the door. Hal Catterson of Maryville sang a solo last night. Watch for the sermon entitled "The Last Automobile."

Among the Maryville people to attend the Parnell picnic are: Mr. and Mrs. Pete Myers and sons, Daniel and Leo, Katherine Miller of Chillicothe, Dave and Louie Lehmer, and Bertha, Eva and Anna Lehmer.

Miss Edna Bonewitz will return tonight from a week's visit in Des Moines, Ia., with Miss Golda Airy.


# MOTHERHOOD WOMAN'S JOY

## Suggestions to Childless Women.

Among the virtues of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the ability to correct sterility in the cases of many women. This fact is well established as evidenced by the following letter and hundreds of others we have published in these colums.

Poplar Bluff, Mo.—"I want other women to know what a blessing Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been to me. We had always wanted a baby in our home but I was in poor health and not able to do my work. My mother and husband both urged me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so, my health improved and I am now the mother of a fine baby girl and do all my own house work."—Mrs. ALLIA B. TIMMONS, 216 Almond St., Poplar Bluff, Mo.

In many other homes, once childless, there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy and strong.

Write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice—it will be confidential and helpful.


# MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

**Grain Futures.**

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Aug. 17.— WHEAT — Sept., $2.08.

CORN—Dec., $1.11⅝; May, $1.09⅜.

**Kansas City Live Stock.**

Kansas City, Aug. 17.—CATTLE — Receipts, 2,000; market, good.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,000; top, $18.55; bulk, $17.75@$18.45.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000.

**Chicago Live Stock.**

Chicago, Aug. 17.—CATTLE— Receipts, 4,000; market, 15c lower.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; market, 35c higher; top, $18.50.

SHEEP—Receipts, 10,000; market, 20c lower.

**St. Joseph Live Stock.**

St. Joseph, Aug. 17.—CATTLE—Receipts, 800.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,000; market, 5c higher; top, $18.20.

SHEEP—Receipts, 500.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce company.

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| Buttter fat, per lb | 38c |
| Eggs | 25 |
| Hens | 14 |
| Spring Chickens, per lb | 18c |
| Hides, per lb | 16c |
| Ducks, per lb | 10c |
| Geese, per lb | 8c |
| Old Roosters, per lb | 8c |


**Bevo**
A BEVERAGE

With a Cold Supper

Try this delicious combination of dainty food and appetizing drink:

Cold salmon on lettuce leaves—mayonnaise dressing—cottage cheese—*Bevo.*

Every one of the foregoing foods will give you an added enjoyment if you sip *Bevo* as you eat. But while thinking of *Bevo* as the ideal table beverage, do not overlook its goodness as a refresher at all times. Unusual and unusually good.

**Bevo—the all-year-'round soft drink**

*Sold in bottles only and bottled exclusively by*
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## The Federal Reserve System Helps You

IT WAS CREATED PRIMARILY—

To help the business men and farmers;
To provide plenty of currency at all times;
To effect a steadier supply of credit.

The system merits the support of all good citizens; it must have yours in order to reach its full development.

You can secure the benefits of this great system and at the same time assist directly in developing it by depositing your money with us.

**First National Bank**
Member Federal Reserve System


## 92 MEN SELECTED

(Continued from Page 1)

Dana Glen Pruitt, Clearmont.

Orlando Hawk, Ravenwood.

Henry Everett Heath, Burlington Junction.

Marshall Newman Yetter, Elmo.

Arlen Hubert Dredge, Elmo.

Stephen Joseph Donahue, Skidmore.

Cecil Joseph Porterfield, Clearmont.

Walter Cleveland Runnels, Pickering.

Ula Ulamont Moorehouse, Hopkins

Jesse Fay Everhart, Barnard.

Clarence Henry Miller, Burlington Junction

Samuel Francis Bruno, Conception Junction.

Hugo Simon Eichenhofer, Conception Junction.

Alfred C. Melton, Quitman.

Martin H. Weston, Graham.

Charles M. Nelson, Guilford.

Joseph Tiefenauer, Conception.

John Floyd Auten, Sheridan.

Charles H. Money, Skidmore.

Robert Lloyd Burch, Hopkins.

Hobart Booker Warren, Barnard.

Jake Harry Wallace, Clearmont.

Ray L. Hurst, Bolckow.

Samuel Milton Chamberlain, Burlington Junction.

Leonard Burdett Sallee, Elmo

Leon Charles Severs, Barnard.

Benjamin Harrison Patrick, Clearmont.

George Mathew Kemp, Maryville.

Charles E. Curtin, Skidmore.

Everett Edward Lawson, Ravenwood.

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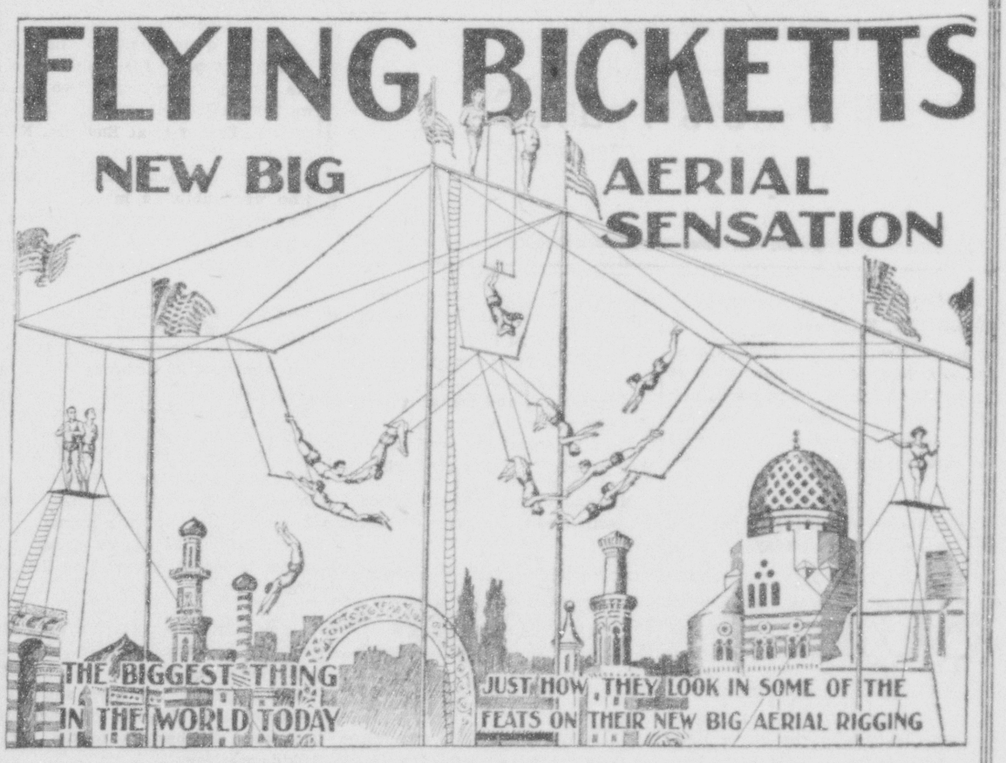
**Lieut. Hogan Here On Visit.**

Lieutenant Ray Paul Hogan, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hogan of near Maryville, arrived in Maryville yesterday for a visit with his parents. Lieut. Hogan will be in the field artillery service. Hogan was in training at Fort Riley, Kan.

# Announcement of The Free Acts

*For The Coming FAIR of NODAWAY COUNTY*

*Sept. 3 to 8 Inclusive*




*THE FLYING BICKETS—*

Which is one of the greatest acts now on the road. Also the PARENTS the great Ladder and Table Act, a very neat Contortion Act, A Flying Trapese Act, Hand Balance Act and Tumbling Act.

*Also Blanche McKinney Hunter—*

With her 15 horses, her Chariot Races, High Jumping Horses, Educated Horses for the Night Show, also her High Diving Dog and Educated Dogs. No better act traveling on the road today

*WE ALSO HAVE IN CONNECTION WITH THAT—*

The Greatest Pacing Horse outside of Dan Patch on record today. The Horse's name, is Major L. The Guideless Wonder, which will pace around the track once daily at a record; breaking the state record without any driver. This horse will be decorated Patriotic style. Then there are Tennessee Jubilee Singers, Players and Performers, Also D'Arville Sisters, Dainty Songs and Dancers, the greatest singers in the world today.

*BESIDE THE ACTS—*

We have the Night Shows that will be given by these acts, the Horse Show, the Saddle Class by riding and driving. Also the exhibit of the stocks, parades after the awards have been given.

*Our entertainments will commence at 10 o'clock a. m. and will last until 10 o'clock p, m. Catalogs at Maco Print Shop if anybody wants one.*

## Nodaway County Fair and Agricultural Association

*A. O. MASON, President and General Manager*